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ADVANCE GUARDS.

First Battalion of the Second United States Engineers on the Way to Cuba.

SAILED ON THE FLORIDA FROM TAMPA.

The First General Order for the Movement of Troops to Cuba Issued at Washington.

The First Brigade, Third Division of the Second Army Corps, Will Proceed to Cuba in a Few Days, Fully Equipped for Service.

TAMPA, Fla., Nov. 25.—Port Tampa has again come to the front as a port of embarkation for troops, as the 1st battalion of the second United States engineers, under command of Maj. Savage, embarked Wednesday on the steamship Florida and sailed for Havana. The battalion consisted of 280 men, composing Companies A, B and E, commanded respectively by Lieuts. Brooks, Lawton, Anderson and Capt. Dixon. The other officers of the battalion are already in Cuba, under command of Gen. Greene. As soon as the 1st battalion arrives the men will begin work preparatory to the landing of the main body and troops which will embark at Savannah and Port Tampa.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—The war department Wednesday issued the first of the general orders looking to the occupation of the central and western provinces of Cuba by the United States troops. The order contemplates the early beginning of the movement as the Spanish troops are expected to have progressed with the evacuation movement early in December. The order is dated November 23 and is as follows:

"COMMANDING GENERAL SECOND ARMY CORPS, Augusta, Ga.—With the approval of the secretary of war, the First brigade Third division of your corps will proceed fully equipped for field service, and take station in Cuba as follows:

"Headquarters and one regiment of infantry at Pinar del Rio, one regiment of infantry at Mariel and one regiment of infantry at Guanajay. The troops will embark at Savannah, and the movements will be so regulated that no regiment will reach Savannah more than 24 hours prior to sailing.

"The regiment for Mariel should land at that point. The other two should land at Havana and proceed to destination by rail. It is not necessary that the entire brigade leave at the same time, but regiments may move in success on as transports can be provided. The evacuation of Pinar del Rio by the Spanish will be completed by December 3 and the troops above designated should reach destinations by December 1 or earlier.

"The brigade will take as much of its wagon transportation as is possible, and camp and garrison equipage, including tent floors.

"The quartermaster's department will provide the necessary transportation and 20 days' forage for animals; the subsistence department make provision for 30 days' suitable rations, and the medical department provide proper medical attendance and stores.

"By command of Maj. Gen. Miles.
"H. C. CORBIN, Adjt. Gen."

This brigade is commanded by Brig. Gen. Wm. C. Oates, and consists of the 15th Pennsylvania, 3d New Jersey and 103d New York regiments. They are now all at Athens, Ga., having recently arrived at that place from Camp Meade, Pa. Mariel is the seaport of Pinar del Rio province on the north side.

CAROLINE ISLANDS, TOO.

Believed That the Administration is Willing to Purchase Them and the Pelew Group From the Spanish.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—There is reason to believe that the administration would be willing to purchase from Spain not only the Philippines and Ualan island, but all of the Carolines and the Pelew group.

Behind the proposition to buy Ualan lies the hope in some quarters that Spain will make a counter proposition for the cession of the entire group and the Pelew islands for an increased compensation.

The belief prevails here that the Germans will bring pressure to bear upon Spain to prevent her from selling the Carolines to the United States. Such action would undoubtedly be looked upon as cause for a breach of friendship.

Pennsylvania Defeats Cornell.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 25.—On a field knee-deep with mud the University of Pennsylvania football team Thursday afternoon defeated the Cornell eleven by the score of 12 to 6.

HEAVY MARINE LOSS.

Freight Steamer Tampa and the Steel Freight Steamer Arthur Orr Lost in Lake Michigan.

DULUTH, Minn., Nov. 25.—The heaviest marine loss of the year is reported by the Duluth tug Castle, which has returned from the wreck of the freight steamer Tampa at Beaver bay. The tug Castle found the freight steamer Arthur Orr, nine miles further eastward from the Tampa, ashore and broken in two. The great blizzard caused the wreck of both steamers. The crew from the Orr had made their way to Beaver bay, where they had found the crew of the Tampa. It took them 24 hours without food to go the nine miles to that place. They suffered intensely with the cold. They were greatly surprised to find the men from the Tampa at Beaver bay, as until then they knew nothing of the wreck of the Tampa.

The Orr left here Monday with 2,200 tons of flour and 500 tons of copper, shipped on account of the Norther Steamship company. The Orr went ashore about the same time the Tampa did. The coast is very rocky, the shore sliding into deep water suddenly, which makes the steamer's position extremely dangerous. The spot where the Orr rests is shown on the charts as Baptism river. The Orr was worth $175,000 and was insured for $145,000. Her cargo was worth $120,000. The Tampa was worth $100,000.

CARDINAL VAUGHAN
(Head of the Roman Catholic Church in England.)

FIRST THANKSGIVING.

The Day Observed in Santiago—Ships in the Harbor Decorated—Officers Entertain at Dinner.

SANTIAGO, DE CUBA, Nov. 25.—Santiago Thursday celebrated its first Thanksgiving since the American occupation. All the ships in the harbor were decorated with bunting and the officers entertained friends at dinner. The day was practically unobserved by the Cubans, except those employed in the government offices. A football game which had been arranged between the 5th regulars and the 5th volunteers was posponed until Christmas day, the weather being still too warm for such sport.

Several officers stationed at Guantanamo and Manzanillo, who had secured leaves of absence, spent the day with friends here. All the regiments celebrated as well as possible under the circumstances. Turkeys were few, but hopes are entertained by the Americans that their friends in the north will ship turkeys in time for their Christmas dinner.

The Cuban papers make practically no allusion to the day.

AT THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Executive Departments Closed Thanksgiving Day—The President Attended the Metropolitan Methodist Church.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—Thanksgiving day was observed in the usual manner. A snow and rain storm kept people off the streets and reduced the attendance at the churches. All the executive departments and business houses were closed. The president accompanied by his brother, Abner McKinley, attended divine sevice at the Metropolitan Methodist church and listened to a sermon by the Rev. Dr. Bristol, the pastor, who preached from Exodus, his text being "Behold, I send an Angel before Thee." Dr. Bristol referring to the war said that never before had Providence permitted a people to wage a more just and humane war—a war which had brought new honor, new liberties, new life, new responsibilities and new honors to those who now rejoice.

Body Will Be Cremated.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Nov. 25.—Mabel Davidson, the skater, well known throughout Canada and the United States, died in this city Thursday of consumption, aged 25 years. The body will be cremated.

Virginia Defeated by North Carolina.

RICHMOND, Va., Nov. 25.—The University of North Carolina eleven Thursday defeated the University of Virginia by a score of 6 to 0.

OHIO NEWS.

New and Interesting Happenings Within Our Borders.

OHIO PENITENTIARY.

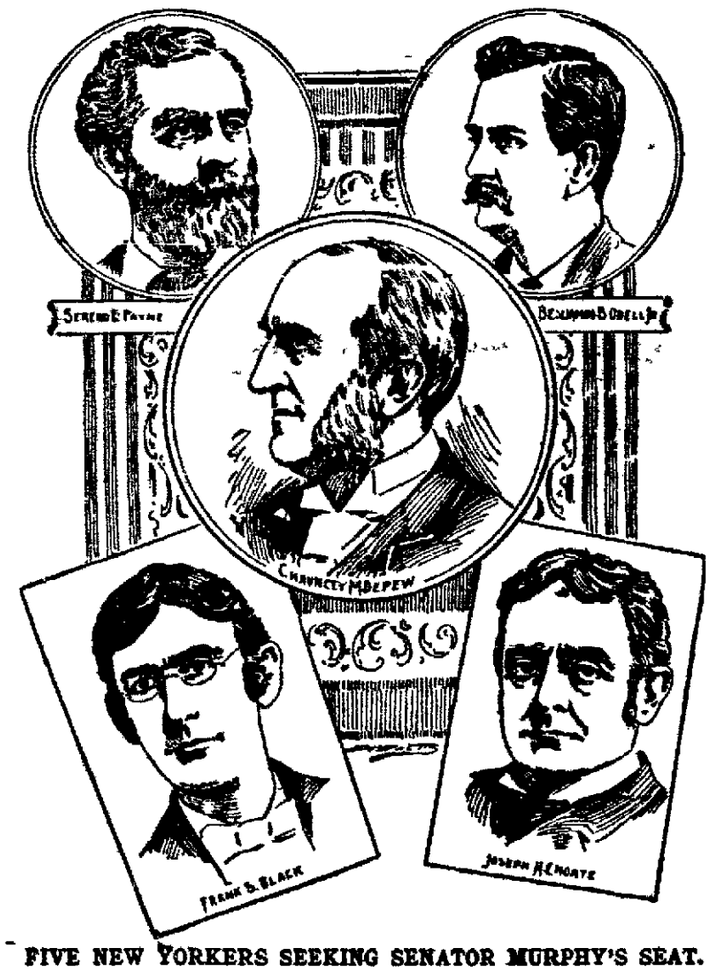
Thanksgiving Day Was Observed in the Prison With Special Exercises and Unusual Privileges.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 25.—As usual, Thanksgiving day was observed at the state prison, with special exercises and unusual privileges given to the convicts. Coming so close upon the murder of Guard Lauterbaugh by Convicts O'Neil and Atkinson with the development of the fact that the men improved the opportunity to plan the attack when they were given the privilege of talking on such occasions, it was thought that Warden Coffin might curtail the privileges and entertainment to convicts on this occasion, but he seems to have stuck to his policy of humane and kind treatment of the prisoners.

Thursday the order was exactly that of Sunday in the prison, except that there was no sermon in the chapel. The convicts were required to do no work at all. At 10.30 a. m. they were marched into the chapel, where, after short devotional exercises, conducted by Chaplain Winget and a brief address by Warden Coffin, the play "From Fireside to the War" was presented by a company that has been playing in the Casino here.

From the chapel the men were taken to the dining room, where Thanksgiving dinner was eaten. For this 290 turkeys were bought by the state. With these there were the usual accessions of dressing, cranberry sauce, celery, etc., and an unusual delicacy—mince pie. For several days the bakery of the prison has been at work producing this pastry, and 2,600 small dishes of this pie were produced.

Nearly an hour and a half was spent at the tables, and at the close the men were given the privilege of talking. At 2 o'clock in the afternoon the convicts were locked in their cells for the rest of the day and night.



FIVE NEW YORKERS SEEKING SENATOR MURPHY'S SEAT.

FAST AND HARD GAME.

The Ohio State University Team Defeated the Wesleyan Team Thursday by the Score of 24 to 0.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 25.—Ohio State university defeated Wesleyan Thursday afternoon in the fastest and hardest fought game of the season, by a score of 24 to 0. Wesleyan, while they died game, were handicapped by being much lighter and being unable to stop the swift end plays of Ohio State university.

As usual the game was a big society event, 5,000 attending to cheer the home team on to victory. The college boys, to the number of 1,600, were parading the town, celebrating the victory in proper style, Thursday night.

Cattle for Europe.

LONDON, O., Nov. 25.—A special train of 26 cars left over the Big Four for Boston, containing 507 head of fat cattle, which will be exported to Europe. They were bought of W. W. Franklin agent for the Gwynne estate, by Chas. Turner, representing N. Layman & Co., of Baltimore. The shipment averaged 1,650 pounds. Madison county stands at the head for producing cattle for the foreign market.

Illinois Seeking Pointers.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 25.—An agent of the attorney general called upon Attorney General Monnett Wednesday to get information for his chief upon the methods of waging war upon trusts. It is said that the attorney general of Illinois proposes to enter upon a fight against the gas trust in that state, and he wishes a little advance information as to the best way to go about it.

Made Generous Gifts.

TOLEDO, O., Nov. 25.—Several days ago Arthur Secor, a local capitalist, was accidentally shot in the face while hunting. Wednesday the bandages were removed, and, in his thankfulness at not losing the sight of either eye, he sent for officials of the Protestant hospital and the Old Ladies' home and gave the former $5,000 and the latter $1,000.

Mason Will Serve.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 25.—Gov. Bushnell decided the dispute over the Adams county probate judgeship in favor of John W. Mason, who was elected to the office, but was ousted under the Garfield corrupt practices act and then re-elected. Mason will serve until February 19, 1900, the term for which he was elected originally.

Investigation Commenced.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 25.—The grand jury which was empaneled to take evidence in the cases of O'Neil and Atkinson, the two convicts who were involved in the recent murderous outbreak at the penitentiary, began taking evidence Wednesday morning. It is thought that a report will be rendered on this matter soon.

Bought Electric Plant.

BRADFORD, O., Nov. 25.—The electric plant here, which has been shut down for some time, has been purchased and will be put in immediate operation by L. A. Dyer, of Bellefontaine.

A Tie Game.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 25.—Thursday after a two hours' struggle the University of Cincinnate football team and the University of Indiana team, the game ended in a tie, 15 to 15.

The Funds Found Intact.

ELLSBERRY, Mo., Nov. 25.—The safe of the Lincoln county bank, which robbers attempted to enter Wednesday was opened by experts Thursday and the funds of the bank found to be intact. The bank reopened for business Friday.

Agoncillo Coming to America.

PARIS, Nov. 25.—It is said that Agoncillo, the representative of Aguinaldo's government is going to Washington to ascertain the intentions of the United States.

LONDON, Nov. 25.—The Morning Friday announces that as the outcome of the quarrel between M. De Freycinet, the French minister of war, and Gen. Zurlinden, the military governor of Paris, arising out of the Dreyfus affair, Gen. Zurlinden will be called upon to resign.

Found Dead in Rocking Chair.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—E. H. Pierce, of Christiansburg, Va., was found dead Thursday in his room in the Morton house. He was sitting in a chair fully dressed. Pierce registered at the Morton house on Tuesday morning and was seen alive again. There was no evidence of suicide.

BALDWIN HOTEL FIRE.

The Loss Will Be $1,500,000 on Which There Was Not Over $150,000 Insurance at the Outside.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—A careful estimate of the loss by the Baldwin hotel fire places the total at $1,500,000, on which at the outside there was not over $150,000 insurance. The insurance, $50,000 carried on the hotel, was ridiculously small. The reason for this lay in the high rate charged and the fact that the underwriters did not care to carry a large line on such a building, built of wood and brick, with no brick dividing the wall and but one outside wall of brick. The insurance on the stocks of goods in the burned structure and the store fittings amounts to $72,250. Geo. A. Moss carried $22,800; Hyman & Myers, $30,500; Isaac Grant, drug store, $5,000; J. J. Groom, $3,000; M. A. Gunst & Co., $10,000; J. Edding, $3,500, and smaller sums were carried by other tenants. The smoke and water damaged the adjoining buildings $20,000 so that $150,000 will cover the insurance loss. In the list of missing persons the two chambermaids and Tate Pryor have been accounted for. Mrs. Andrews and two children, guests at the hotel, have not been seen since the fire, and their names have been added to the list of missing.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—The body of J. M. Leighthead, purser of steamer City of Sydney, previously reported missing, was recovered from the ruins of the Baldwin hotel Thursday.

The body of Tate Pryor, the missing sheet writer for J. J. Carroll, racing bookmaker, was found in the ruins of the Baldwin hotel Thursday evening. This makes the list of victims four so far as known.

SPANISH COMMISSIONERS.

They Will Likely Submit Their Final Answer to the American Propositions on Saturday.

PARIS, Nov. 25.—The Spanish commissioners at noon Thursday had not fixed upon the day to submit their final answer to the American propositions, but it is deemed most likely that Saturday will be the day appointed. The opinion gains ground that the Spaniards will accept the proposals of the United States. A significant indication of this view of the situation was a remark dropped by Senor Abarzuza, of the Spanish commission Thursday, that they expected to remain here about a fortnight longer.

The secretary of the Spanish commission, Senor Ojeda, said Thursday that the instructions from Madrid were not sufficiently matured to enable them to appoint the next meeting.

Senor Abarzuza was asked Thursday if the commissions would be able to leave Paris next week with the treaty, and he replied, with a side-long glance, as though to observe whether his questioner noted the significance of the reply: "I suppose we shall be here for another fortnight."

Number of Internal Revenue Stamps Issued.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—The commissioner of internal revenue in his annual report, the principal features of which were made public in July last, recommends that the war revenue law be amended so as to allow a discount of three per cent to purchasers of $100 or more instead of one per cent as is now provided. Unless such action is taken, the commissioners says, a very large increase in the number of stamp deputies will be necessary. The number of internal revenue stamps issued during the year was 1,442,274,189, of the value of $192,153,933.

May Have Their Mill at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 25.—Peter Maher and Kid McCoy, whose fight before the Greater New York Athletic club, of Coney Island, on December 12, has been declared off, may have their mill in St. Louis. Manager Whitney, of the Commercial club of this city, Thursday offered a $10,000 purse for the McCoy-Maher contest, to take place in this city Christmas week.

One Killed and Two Injured.

DENVER, Col., Nov. 25.—The crown sheet of the boiler of a locomotive on a west-bound freight train on the Denver & Rio Grande railway blew out at Swallows, Col., Thursday. J. E. Perkey, fireman, was killed, and Eugene Pennington, engineer, and Guy Livingston, brakeman, were seriously injured. Eighteen loaded freight cars were burned.

Illinois in Lead.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—The report of the commissioner of internal revenue shows that Illinois has contributed $30,000,000 in war tax revenue, thus leading all other states. New York came second, with $21,000,000, and Kentucky third, with $18,000,000. Ohio is fourth on the list, with $16,000,000.

Fireproof Wood Company Incorporated.

TRENTON, N. J., Nov. 25.—The American Fireproof Wood Co. was incorporated here Wednesday with a capital of $1,000,000.

COLUMBUS' ASHES

They Will Probably Be Shipped to Spain on Adm. Manterola's War Vessel.

FLORIDA TO REACH HAVANA FRIDAY.

Her Men and the Stores on Lighters Will Be Taken on Shore at Mariano.

The Details for the Evacuation of Pinar del Rio Have Been Arranged—10,677 Soldiers Will Leave by Way of Havana by December 5.

HAVANA, Nov. 25.—The entire details of the evacuation of the province of Pinar del Rio have been arranged. The transport Montevideo sails on November 27 with 2,245 troops; the Covadonga on November 28 with 2,370; the Gran Antilla on November 30 with 1,354; the Maria Christina on November 30 with 1,508; Juan Fongas on December 3 with 1,260; San Ignacio on December 5 with 2,040, making a total of 1,0677 troops leaving Pinar del Rio by way of Havana by December 5.

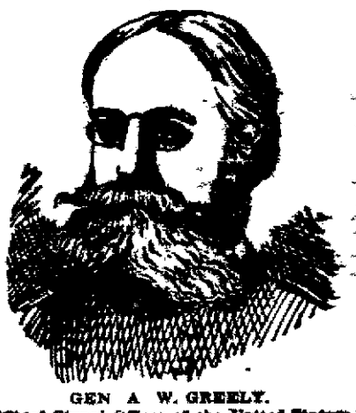
The remains of Columbus will be shipped to Spain on the war vessel on which Adm. Manterola, the Spanish commander here, returns to Spain.

The United States transport Florida is expected here at day break Friday. She will come close to Morro Castle, will be signaled and will then proceed to Marianao without entering Havana harbor. The steamer will lay outside the bar at Marianao and land her men and stores on lighters, which will take them ashore at the new wharf.

Gen. Greene and staff will ride out from the Inglaterra hotel at 5 o'clock in the morning on horseback to receive the party and superintend the landing.

The Herrera line of steamers running between the ports on the north coast of Cuba will change from Spanish to British registery.

Thursday's issues of the Havana newspapers announce the resignation of Capt. Gen. Blanco, as published in the Madrid Gazette, and insist upon the truth of the reports in circulation that Gen. Blanco will leave Havana for in a few days, probably sailing on the steamer Villaverde.



GEN. A. W. GREELY.
(Chief Signal Officer of the United States Army.)

A TRAIN DERAILED.

Day Coach Containing Twenty Passengers Rolls Over—Two Fatally Hurt and Several Badly Injured.

BURLINGTON, Ia., Nov. 25.—Burlington, Cedar Rapids and Northern passenger train No. 6, due in Burlington at 6:30 a.m., but running four hours late, was derailed six miles north of Burlington while rounding a curve. The day coach containing about 20 passengers, rolled over twice and landed right side up in a ditch 50 feet away. The Pullman left the rails but was not ditched. Two people were probably fatally injured and 18 hurt.

Thanksgiving in Camp at Savannah.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Nov. 25.—Every soldier in the 7th corps was made to feel that Thursday was Thanksgiving. All drills were abandoned for the day and at two o'clock each man received a ration of turkey, fruit and cake. Over 1,000 turkeys and several wagon loads of fruit and cake were sent out to the camp Thursday morning. The feast for Gen. Lee's men was provided by the ladies of Charleston.

Dead at the Age of 107.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 25.—Mrs. Susan Sanders, aged 107, died Thursday in the house she was born in on Chucky river, in Watauga valley. She was a relative of John Sevier, first governor of Tennessee, and owned many souvenirs of the battle of King's mountain.

Artillery Ordered to Cuba.

NEWPORT, R. I., Nov. 25.—Batteries B and D, 3d United States artillery, with the regimental band, all in command of Lieut. Col. Haskins, departed Thursday evening for Savannah to join the remainder of the regiment ordered to Cuba.

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HOW HE WAS CURED.

Chivers had no definite occupation, but his nerves were shattered. That was his occupation.

"What do you think is the matter?" says he to Sir Andrew Leech of Wimpole street.

"Do you drink tea?" asked the doctor, eyeing him inquisitorially—"afternoon tea?"

"Yes," says Chivers, anxiously.

"With cream?"

"Why, yes."

"That's the mischief! It is the cream that is wrecking your gastrics, my friend!"

Off goes poor Chivers at once to Sir Rolus McGorge in Harley street.

"Doctor," says he, "I'm feeling very poorly—should you say, now, tea was bad for me?"

"My dear sir, that depends—take plenty of cream with your tea and it will do you no great harm."

Chivers then looks in on the celebrated homeopath, Dr. Dodgem of Welbeck street—quite the rising man on digestion, you know.

"Doctor, pray tell me the truth about tea!"

"Tea!" says Dodgem, "the most insidious of poisons!"

"What! With plenty of cream?"

"With or without. Nothing can make it wholesome."

Chivers took to coffee. As he felt no better he consulted Katterplasm, M.D., the family doctor, who asked him bluntly:

"Why your fud? Sleep sound?"

"Neither," says poor Chivers.

"If you slept you'd eat. Do you drink coffee?"

"I do, in preference to tea."

"At night?"

"Yes."

"Just so—it's the coffee keeps you awake—want of sleep naturally weakens the stomach."

So he left off coffee and took cocoa. Chivers had never smoked, but now he felt a sort of craving that he could not allay, and a friend offering him a cigarette, tried it, and it seemed to do him good; but his appetite did not improve; he fancied he slept a little better; but he couldn't quite decide, so he called in Dr. No. 5, and explained his sad case.

"Do you smoke?" asked the great specialist, whose acute nose had detected a faint aroma of tobacco while feeling his pulse.

"Yes; it is bad?" inquired the invalid, timidly.

"Bad! Are you aware that Sir Benjamin Brodie proved that a few drops of the liquid sediment of that noxious weed would instantly destroy a full-grown cat?"

"But—but," urged Chivers, "I'm not a full-grown cat."

"No, sir, you haven't the vitality of a kitten—give up tobacco!"

Chivers gave it up. But he still felt very low. He thought he would ask

"CHIVERS FORGOT HE WAS A VEGETARIAN."

old Katterplasm, M. D., the family practitioner, to dinner, and confide in him his perplexity. No tea—no coffee—no tobacco—and getting weaker every day!

"Oh! take a glass of wine; you're feeling 'run down.' You want a fillip! Take two glasses once in a way—do you no harm—do you good!"

Chivers took two and felt better; but the next day he received a pamphlet issued by the Society for the Total Abolition of Hops and Wines," which proved that indulgence in alcohol tempted the best men to commit crimes of violence and shame, and hurried thousands into lunatic asylums!

"Old man! I say!" cried a loud voice close to him, which made him start, "hang all doctors! cure yourself! Look at me—never a thing the matter with me since——"

"Since when?" asked Chivers, turning a lack-luster eye on his hale and ruddy friend.

"Since I became a vegetarian."

Now, if there was one thing Chivers could still fancy it was boiled leg of mutton and caper sauce. The struggle in Chivers' breast was brief but decisive.

"Bounce," he said, "I have gone through much—I know how to suffer. The bitterest sacrifices seem to be demanded of us in this world. I renounce boiled mutton."

But Chivers, in his tea-less, coffee-less, tobacco-less, boiled mutton and caper sauce-lessness grew daily more dejected and more pale.

"Come up to Scotland, old man—a little yachting round the Hebrides—do you all the good in the world. Sea air, you know."

So Chivers went on board the Skylark. She was cutter rigged and only 25 tons. She had not been out more than two hours when she struck on a rock, and, as it was evident that she was fast sinking, they had just time to haul to the boat that was towed astern and jump in—all four of them—with a pint of rum and a biscuit.

The weather was fairly good, but there was six hours of hard rowing between them and land, and no mistake.

Well, that wreck cured Chivers. After seven hours' battling with a strong current that set out to sea, the shipwrecked crew grazed the shingle.

Carriages conveyed the crew to Slogger's "shanty," as he called his elegant Highland abode. A splendid collation had been prepared, including a fine Scotch leg of mutton, boiled with caper sauce. Chivers forgot that he was a vegetarian.

"Lord, how dry rowing makes one!" he exclaimed, and they filled him up a foaming breaker of brown ale. Chivers forgot that he was a teetotaler, and drank it off.

As they sat by the log fire, Sloggers, Balson and Batson lit up and offered Chivers a cigar. He forgot the doctor's warning about tobacco and smoked it. Later on they joined the ladies in the little cozy, wood-walled drawing room looking over the brink of a precipice, right out to sea.

Slogger's pretty young wife dispensed the aromatic "Souchong" in dainty cups of biscuit china, while her sprightly younger sister offered cream, and plenty of it, too.

Next day Sloggers said: Chivers, my boy, we're old friends, and I want to do you a good turn. There's nothing really the matter with you, or if there was, the shipwreck's cured you. All you want is fresh air, an active life, something to do, and eat and drink what you like. You shall be my Highland agent, steward, overseer, call it what you will. Try it for a year!"

Chivers clasped Sloggers by the hand.

"Sloggers," said he, "you understand me. You are my friend. I don't think there's much wrong with me. The doctors mean well, but they don't understand my complaint. You alone have discovered the physic that suits me."—New York World.

SHIPPED HER GOODS HOME.

American Woman Sends Furniture in a Van All the Way from Germany.

Miss Drake, a Philadelphia woman, who has for some years been residing in Weisbaden, Germany, has just returned home, bringing with her a lot of valuable furniture, which she shipped in a fashion never previously attempted. Miss Drake's father was at one time American minister to Germany. During the family's residence abroad, the young lady, having a taste for the unique in furniture, had by degrees come into possession of a great deal of valuable household goods. Recently she decided to return to her native city, but was fearful lest some of her effects should suffer damage in transit. She hit upon a plan which was decidedly novel, although somewhat expensive. She hired one of the largest furniture vans to be had in Europe, and in it were packed her household goods under her close and careful supervision. Six strong horses drew the van from Weisbaden to Hamburg, where the body of the vehicle was lifted from the axles and deposited in the hold of the German steamship Assyria, which was bound for Philadelphia. Upon the arrival of the Assyria at Philadelphia Collector Thomas, upon the application of E. Buchey & Co., the representatives of Miss Drake, detailed Customs Inspector Maguire to take charge of the vehicle. The huge box was set upon wheels once more and six horses drew it to the South Forty-first street residence, where it was unloaded under the eye of the inspector. The van will be sent back to Hamburg, completing a journey of 6,000 miles. Miss Drake is entirely satisfied with the result of her experiment, her cherished belongings having been deposited in the Philadelphia home without sustaining break or scratch.

THE BREAD-AND-BUTTER AGE.

Period of Life When Miss Is Apt to Be a Nuisance.

One of Byron's objections to the miss just out of school was that "she smelled so damnably of bread and butter." That is a defect easily overcome, which is more than can be said of some others. A young woman of uncertain age was discussing this period of existence the other evening and thus expressed herself: "Among the things for which I am truly thankful is the fact that I have got beyond that age. There is no period of her existence, I think, wherein woman appears to less advantage. It is almost impossible for the average girl of 17 not to be conscious, and she has so little knowledge of the world that she is unable to hide her awkwardness. It is amusing, albeit rather pathetic, to see the efforts of the poor things to appear natural and at their ease and to say their little say without betraying that they have prepared it beforehand. Bread-and-butter misses may be classified under a few heads. There is your frank hobbledehoy, who despises affectation, and who, in consequence, is apt to be rough and ill mannered; then the sweety girl, who puts on an indescribable smile of fatuity and whom you feel at times you would like to shake; next the aristocratic girl, conscious of her position, who has nothing to say, and therefore does not say it; and the last and funniest development of all, the inexperienced little girl from the nursery, who thinks it is the thing to be a little 'rapid.' I suppose that girls of that youthful age consider me as an old maid and would be surprised to know that I by no means envied them, and that they afforded me the greatest entertainment, but it is true, nevertheless."

His Program.

"So Placehunter expects a sinecure, does he?" "Yes; he thinks he'll be appointed Government Weather Prophet for Cuba. He intends to predict several months of heat and rain and go off on a vacation."—Puck.

FASHION NOTES.

There is a newly designed watch dial, made to appeal to card players. The ace of clubs represents 1 o'clock, and 10 o'clock is the ten of the same suit. The knave and queen of clubs represent 11 and 12 o'clock.

Some chic forms in hats have the brims moulded with a high roll in the back and point down, with no roll at all over the face. They are rather rakish and will probably be popular with cyclists, as they protect the eyes.

Ladies' cloth will be used this fall in making street and calling costumes.

Little narrow ribbons are put on hats in the form of scroll work. Dainty bonnets are sometimes made entirely of shirrings of this narrow ribbon.

A novelty in autumn goods is a poplin ground with bayadere effect, with chenille cords. These goods are all silk, and have a rich and lustrous appearance. Some of these poplins show many lines in chenille, producing braided effects.

A stylish dark walking suit has the effect of a long outdoor garment. The coat has a straight front, buttoned the full length with large rubber buttons, four or five of them, and they are met by buttons of the same kind and size, which run the full length of the skirt, which has the effect of an opening.

Rhinestone buttons, large and small, appear on many pretty frocks, cut steel ornaments, a large plain crystal button; and there is nothing prettier than the plain crystal button which has no ornamentation. Small crystal buttons are also used, some of them having just a touch of metal in the center, as if to simulate a silver or gilt thread. The jacket fronts of a pretty blouse are fastened at intervals by pairs of these plain crystal buttons, with the touch of gilt in the center and connected by gilt chains.

FOR MY LADY.

Several shades of one color are to be worn on evening dresses.

A curious novelty originating in Paris is a striped cloth gown with checked sleeves.

Velvet or cloth applique upon cloth are to be the idols of the coming season, and it is rumored that flounces upon the skirts and capes are to go.

There are two shapes recognized by authorities for coats. One will be three-quarter length with the basque fitting tightly on the hips; the other will reach just three inches below the waist.

Jewels are to be more popular than ever this coming season. We are to have rings on our fingers and chains on our toes in the greatest profusion, while pearls are to be essential to the winter costume. The enthusiasts will wear two rows of these fastened in front of their hair, with a Louis Seize bow of black ribbon velvet.

The really wise woman will supply herself at once with a black cloth dress trimmed with many lines of silken braiding; the skirt of this might be crossed on the left hip and outlined with scallops down one side and on the edge of the shaped flounce. With a short coat this should have a scalloped basque and collar, and the shoulder pieces should be cut in one with small epaulets.

CLEVER LITTLE STORIES.

A Washington clergyman was told by the sexton that the church was on fire. "Very well," replied the parson, "I will retire. Perhaps you'd better wake up the congregation."

W. D. Howells has adopted the rule that all applicants for his autograph must furnish satisfactory proof that they have read his books. A young girl recently wrote to the great novelist for his autograph. By return of post came a single typewritten line: "Have you read my last book?" To which the young lady replied: "I sincerely hope so." The autograph came promptly.

In the counting-house of an office usually closed at 6 o'clock the office boy has been known, like others of that fraternity, to occasionally forget to do those things which he ought to have done, and the manager has at last had to impress upon him the advisability of making a note of anything important and keeping it in a conspicuous place as a reminder. The other day a piece of paper was noticed pinned to the wall in front of the lad's desk, and, upon examination, was found to bear the following: "Memorandum. Leave at six."

PATENTED.

Shoe salesmen will appreciate a new shoe-fitting chair, which has the seats for the salesman and customer and the footrest all mounted on sliding racks, which can be adjusted to suit large or small persons.

A new penholder has a calendar formed on the handle, the days of the week being printed on the handle, while the days of the month are printed in tabular form on a revolvable tube, to be adjusted to the day corresponding.

A handy reel for clothes-lines is composed of a spool with a crank at one end, mounted in a wire frame, with a handle on the frame to hold it while the line is being reeled up, a brake being provided to hold the reel from turning backward.

An Englishman has designed a pneumatic road skate which has only one wheel, a central disk having supports for the foot and straps for the ankle, while the outer rim is mounted on a circle of balls running in a groove in the surface of the disk.

An orange tree will bear fruit until it is 150 years old.

LIKE FINDING WEALTH

The Case with Two Women Writers—Clearing Up Cash by the Thousands.

TWO amiable American women have been making prodigious sums from novels that are not much considered, one way or the other, by snuffy literary critics. Fortunately, neither of these estimable women has ever known to lay claim to cousinship with Literature of the sort that is spelled with a large L, but they have apparently given pleasure to a greater number of readers than any other women now living in this country. They are Augusta Evans Wilson and Clara Louise Burnham.

Mrs. Wilson's receipts in copyrights in the last quarter century have amounted to more than $100,000. Her "Vashti," which followed swift upon the heels of the fabulously successful "St. Elmo," sold for $15,000 spot cash, the publisher afterward restoring copyright to the author in addition.

"Miss Gusty" the natives call her in her own beloved Mobile, according to the pretty Southern provincialism. And "Miss Gusty" is their idol and their fetich and their joy.

She is a dear, refined old lady now, with stately, old world manners, a white cap and an old-time monster brooch that bears her lamented husband's profile in cameo.

She offers you a "bite and sup" always, whether at her beautiful colo-

MRS. BURNHAM.

nial home, in fashionable Government street, in Mobile, or at her country place of Ashland, that tropical paradise of foliage and bloom.

Mrs. Wilson has been importuned of late, by eastern publishers, to make her own price for a series of short stories. But the dear, conservative old lady is obdurate. "When one has a-plenty, both of money and of fame," says she, "does one want more?"

"At the Mercy of Tiberius," her latest born, which reaped for her another golden harvest, she deems the best of all her books.

Assuredly there is money in mediocrity and popularity in platitudes, since versatile Mrs. Burnham, who can do many things better than she writes, is digging nuggets with her pen and finding herself in pre-eminent demand at all the public libraries. No other novelist, statistics show, is so much read by the youthful public nowadays. She is the young girl's idol. "Dear me!" laughs Mrs. Burnham, "how wealthy I might become if each reader of my stories dropped a nickel in the slot for the benefit of the author!" The success of this woman's books has recently increased her royalties from 10 per cent to 15. If they are not literature, strictly speaking, and this, the author herself smilingly acknowledges, they are at least wholesome enough, and nobody is the worse for an acquaintance with "De Latimer," "The Wise Woman," "Miss Archer Archer," or any of the others of Mrs. Burnham's innocent brain brood.

She is the daughter of George F. Root of Chicago, now dead, who was the author of "Rally 'Round the Flag, Boys!" and a host of other popular American songs. Mrs. Burnham's summer cottage, The Mooring, is a gem on Bailey Island, Casco Bay. It is her Maine neighbors here who unconsciously supply the immensely popular lady with a large proportion of her copy.

NEW PEARL FISHERIES FOUND.

One Little Boat Gathers Up Twenty-two Pounds of Gems.

New pearl fields of great richness have been discovered off the coast of New Caledonia on the west side, according to United States Consul Wolf at Neumea. He says that one shell contained the fabulous number of 256 pearls, and one little boat of one and one half tons furnished last year 22 pounds of pearls. Up to this time the water has not been sounded to a greater depth than six feet seven inches, but the fisheries are to be further exploited by French and Austrian syndicates. Mr. Wolf says that the quality of the pearl shells is remarkably fine, and he urges that Americans profit by the discovery, although haste is necessary on account of the enterprise of foreign firms. New Caledonia is an island lying east of Australia. It belongs to France.

WILHELMINA'S MANY SUITORS.

She May Possibly Bestow Her Hand on Germany's Future Ruler.

For many months past there has been speculation as to which European prince would be lucky enough to secure the hand of Wilhelmina, the recently crowned queen of Holland. The most prominent aspirant at present is the eldest son of Emperor William of Germany, but as a union between that young man and Wilhelmina would result in merging the kingdom of Holland in the German empire, the Netherlanders are much opposed to it. Hollanders are intensely national in their slow-going way and therefore view with alarm any project which promises to abate a jot of their dignity as an independent power. The same objection holds good with regard to the queen's marriage with the ruler of or heir to any of the minor German principalities, as a like process of merger would take place in the person of Wilhelmina's heir. The only certain method of averting the ultimate peaceful solution of the Netherlands in the German empire is to bring about a marriage with a non-German prince and to this end the influence of Dutch patriots will doubtless be exerted. Should the young Hohenzollern prove to be the lucky man the heiress of the Netherlands would have made a match exactly corresponding to that which Duchess Mary of Burgundy accepted when she gave herself to Maximilian, the son of Emperor Frederick III., and later himself successively king of the Romans and emperor. The Austrian alliance plunged the low countries in woe for nearly 100 years, but of course there would be no conflict of religion in the event of a marriage with the Protestant house of Hohenzollern, and the present subjects of Wilhelmina would have the satisfaction of knowing that the son of their royal mistress would become the head of the German empire. Of course, so long as the queen lived the low countries would retain their separate political existence, as was the case during the lifetime of Duchess Mary of Burgundy. Only on the accession of Wilhelmina's son would they become a constituent state of the German empire and thus part with some of the attributes of sovereignty while retaining as much local independence as is possessed by Bavaria or Saxony.

A CLOSER VIEW OF HALL CAINE

Hall Caine, the author, who is now visiting this country to deliver a series of lectures and to superintend the production of his dramatization of "The Christian," has had a remarkably successful literary career. He was the son of a blacksmith. From a crofter's cottage on the Isle of Man he has risen to be the owner of a great castle on the island. This castle, with its stone work and its towers, reminds one somewhat of Windsor, although, of course, it is not nearly so large or so magnificent.

Hall Caine's study is a large, square room, with bookcases ranged on two sides. It has no desk, for the author of "The Manxman" never writes at a desk. He holds the paper on his lap and uses a fountain pen. The chair which he uses while writing was once the property of Dante Gabriel Rossetti, the poet and painter. When at work on a novel he does his writing between 5 and 8 in the morning, and spends the rest of the day in riding

HALL CAINE.

about the country or in taking long walks.

The Manx author has a host of friends in America, and his not infrequent visits to our shores are usually occasions for lionizing him. Some of his more enthusiastic admirers claim to find in Hall Caine a striking likeness to Shakespeare. Perhaps this may be the case—in appearance.

Different View.

"How unlucky you have always been with your love affairs," said McBride pityingly to his friend Tenterhook. "On the contrary," replied Tenterhook, "every girl I ever fell in love with has married some one else."—Judge.

Queer.

"Was your ship crippled by the storm?" asked the reporter. "She was not," replied the captain, "though she lost all of her hands."—Indianapolis Journal.

When passenger trains are telescoped the passengers are apt to see the stars.

PEOPLE TALKED ABOUT.

The empress of Germany starts for Palestine with 110 trunks full of dresses.

Only one clergyman has been decorated with the Victoria cross. This is Rev. J. W. Adams.

Like most seamen, Admiral Dewey is fond of a horse, but unlike the majority he is a good rider and hunter.

Justice Harlan gets up at 6 o'clock in the morning in order to find time to play golf, of which he is very fond.

A letter by Bryant has been found in which the writer says that he got first $2 apiece for his poems and later 16 cents a line.

James G. Woodward, who has been nominated for the mayoralty of Atlanta, is a compositor in the employ of the Atlanta Journal.

S. N. D. North of New York says he was the first person to make a practical business use of the typewriter. He used it first in 1872.

James Havlick is the tallest man of the Oregon's crew, which averages the tallest tars in the navy. Havlick is nearly seven feet in height.

Rudyard Kipling is said to be one of the least manageable of literary lions. He dislikes compliments, shuns society and likes to live quietly.

The duke of Westminster, who has been married twice, can boast of having a larger family than any other member of the British peerage.

Joel Chandler Harris is said to be the hardest literary man to interview in this country. "I don't know anybody," he says, "and I don't care to."

The commission of John Hay to be secretary of state credits him in the District of Columbia. This is the first time a citizen of the district has occupied a cabinet position.

G. Godfrey Gumel, the scientist, is about to publish a book upon the effects of salt in the human body. Twenty years' study has led him to believe that diphtheria, apoplexy and other diseases are due to a deficiency of salt.

Queen Victoria, though in every other respect a remarkably fearless woman, has a horror of fires. Her majesty is particularly nervous upon this point when staying abroad at some place to which she is unaccustomed, and for this reason a couple of fire extinguishers are invariably sent in advance, to be fitted up in her temporary residence.

NEW THINGS.

A German inventor has discovered that celluloid can be used for the manufacture of the vibrating parts of musical instruments in place of metal, the substitute being entirely free from rust and having a tone equal to that of the metal reeds.

To prevent dust and dirt from gathering on bicycle chains a Frenchman has designed a cover of rubber or other flexible material, to be slipped over the chain after it is in place on the sprocket wheels, covering three inches of it and leaving only the inner surface exposed.

An Austrian has patented an appliance to be attached to the mouths of cannon, to be struck by the shell as it leaves the muzzle, the device being hinged at the top of the gun to swing out of the way after it has exploded the shell and caused its contents to spread over a large area.

Letters can be quickly copied by a new press, which consists of two stiff boards hinged on the side and having three levers arranged on the other side of the upper board to engage links in the lower board after the book is placed between them, the levers being forced down until pressure is exerted on the book.

Ice cakes can be readily loaded into wagons by a new machine, consisting of a supporting frame set on the ice to carry a track hinged to the frame at the rear, with a spoon at the loose end to be let down into the water and receive a cake of ice, a derrick lifting the spoon and sliding the ice down the track into the wagon.

UNIFORMS OF ALL TIMES.

During the revolutionary war each colony had its militia, and the uniforms of each body were different. Later the higher officers came to be known by the colored ribbons worn across their breasts, and the lower officers by the cockade worn in their hats.

In 1821 dark blue was declared to be the national uniform color of both officers and enlisted men, the only exception being scarlet coats for musicians and gray coats for cadets. Various changes took place in the shape of the clothing of the soldiers until 1863, when our uniforms became practically fixed, the cloth for the trousers being light blue and the facings being light blue for infantry, yellow for cavalry and red for artillery.

The varied costumes of the returning soldier boys have aroused an interest in uniforms in general. Valerius Maximus, the Roman emperor, ordered the Roman soldiers to wear red so they would not be frightened at the sight of their own blood, and even now red forms a conspicuous part of French and English uniforms. In our own army red has been abolished except for facings, on the ground that it attracts attention in the field, though experiments in Germany prove that a blue target is hit three times where a red one is hit once.

Lord Crawford and Balcarres has just celebrated the 500th anniversary of the creation of the earldom of Crawford, in the peerage of Scotland.

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Comfort for Women.

Some time ago Pullman's Palace Car company built three parlor cars for the B. & O.'s New York trains, and the radical departure from other cars of this character lay in the toilet room for ladies, which was eight feet in length. Recently the same company has built eight new sleepers for the New York-St. Louis line of the B. & O., and the designer of the cars has evidently been impelled by the popularity of the ladies' retiring room in the parlor cars to give to the ladies a vast deal more space than they ever had before in sleeping cars. These new cars are said by the Pullman people to be the finest they ever turned out, and the ladies' retiring room is exceedingly commodious, and contains, besides other toilet necessities, a dresser with a long pier glass. The cars are finished in vermillion wood, decorated with inlaid marquetry work, and the upholstery on the backs and seats is entirely new and different from any heretofore used, being a sort of a moquette with a dark green border and a center pattern of bright color. A similar design of ornamentation has been applied to the ceiling, giving the car an arabesque effect. They are also supplied with all the modern appliances, such as wide vestibules, anti-telescoping device, air pressure water system and are lighted with Pintsch gas. A very pleasing effect is obtained by the oval windows of opalescent glass, the first that has been used in the construction of the sleeping cars.

Revenue from Matches.

In France the state has a monopoly for the sale of matches and tobacco. Nearly thirty-five million matches were manufactured in France during 1897 and about fifty millions were brought from other countries. About nine hundred matches per head is the estimated annual consumption of matches in France. The profit upon these was nearly four million dollars.

Try Grain-o! Try Grain-o!

Ask your grocer today to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it, like it. GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. One-fourth the price of coffee. 15c. and 25c. per package. Sold by all grocers.

Three.

"I am between the devil and the deep sea!" moaned the woman desperately. Now at last the man evinced interest. "Three of a kind!" he muttered, clearly much disturbed. For marriage after all is more like cards or dice than parchesi.

Lane's Family Medicine.

Moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary. Acts gently on the liver and kidneys. Cures sick headache. Price 25 and 50c.

Expense of Atlantic Steamers.

In three years the expense of running an Atlantic steamer exceeds the cost of construction.

Love is the business of the idle; but the idleness of the busy.—Lord Lytton.

Stop Coughing

Every cough makes your throat more raw and irritable. Every cough congests the lining membrane of your lungs. Cease tearing your throat and lungs in this way. Put the parts at rest and give them a chance to heal. You will need some help to do this, and you will find it in

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

From the first dose the quiet and rest begin: the tickling in the throat ceases; the spasm weakens; the cough disappears. Do not wait for pneumonia and consumption but cut short your cold without delay.

Dr. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral Plaster should be over the lungs of every person troubled with a cough.

Write to the Doctor.

Unusual opportunities and long experience eminently qualify us for giving you medical advice. Write freely all the particulars in your case. Tell us what your experience has been with our Cherry Pectoral. You will receive a prompt reply, without cost.

Address, DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

From hard work or outdoor exercise **Soreness and Stiffness** sets in.

St. Jacobs Oil will CURE it after a few applications, and make the muscles limber and strong.

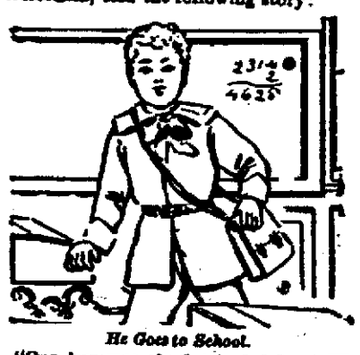
A FATHER'S STORY.

From the Evening Crescent, Appleton, Wis.

A remarkable cure for a disease which has generally wrecked the lives of children, and left them in a condition to which death itself would be preferred, has attracted a great amount of attention among the residents of the west end of Appleton.

The case is that of little Willard Creech, son of Richard D. Creech, a well known employe of one of the large paper mills in the Fox River Valley. The lad was attacked by spinal disease and his parents had given up all hope of his ever being well again when, as by a miracle, he was healed and is now in school as happy as any of his mates.

Mr. Creech, the father of the boy, who resides at 1082 Second Street, Appleton, Wisconsin, told the following story:



He Goes to School.

"Our boy was absolutely helpless. His lower limbs were paralysed, and when we used electricity he could not feel it below his hips. Finally we let the doctor go as he did not seem to help our son and we nearly gave up hope. Finally my mother who lives in Canada wrote, advising the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, and I bought some.

"This was when our boy had been on the stretcher for an entire year and helpless for nine months. In six weeks after taking the pills we noticed signs of vitality in his legs, and in four months he was able to go to school.

"It is two years since he took the first of the pills and he is at school now just as happy and well as any of the other children. 'It was nothing else in the world that saved the boy than Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.'"

Mushroom Catsup.

Clean one peck of full grown mushrooms, put them in a stone jar, with half pound salt sprinkled between them. Let stand for three hours, then break them in small pieces with the hand. Cover and put in a cool place for three days longer, stirring occasionally and watching well, to extract as much juice as possible. Then measure the quantity of liquor without straining, and add to each quart one-eighth ounce of cayenne pepper, half ounce of allspice, half ounce ground ginger, half teaspoonful mace. Put all in a stone jar, cover closely, set it in a kettle of boiling water, place over the fire, and boil three hours. Pour the liquor into a clean saucepan and boil slowly twenty minutes more. Pour it into a jar and let it stand till next day. Strain through a fine cloth, add to each pint of catsup one tablespoonful best brandy. Fill into small bottles, cork and seal tightly and keep in a cool place. This catsup is used mostly for flavoring sauces.

Go South This Winter.

For the present winter season the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company has improved its already nearly perfect through service of Pullman Vestibuled Sleeping Cars and elegant day coaches from Cincinnati, Louisville, St. Louis and Chicago, to Mobile, New Orleans and the Gulf Coast, Thomasville, Ga., Pensacola, Jacksonville, Tampa, Palm Beach and other points in Florida. Perfect connection will be made with steamer lines for Cuba, Porto Rico, Nassau and West Indian ports. Tourist and Home-Seekers excursion tickets on sale at low rates. Write C. P. Atmore, General Passenger Agent, Louisville, Ky., for particulars.

Typewriters' Cramp.

Although little is yet put on record as to typewriter's cramp, it is a wonder that it is not more frequent, when the heavy, relentless "pounding" and the inflexible position of the hand and wrist of some operators is taken into consideration. The hands and wrists should be flexible and "devitalized." If typewriters would use their machines as Paderewski plays the piano there would be no more typewriter's cramp.

Do You Want to Live

In a fine, mild and healthy climate, where cyclones and blizzards are unknown, where good, rich lands can be bought at low prices, near cheap transportation and with educational and industrial advantages? Homeseekers' excursions to Virginia via the "Big Four Route" and the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway. Write for descriptive book of Virginia, list of farms for sale, excursion rates, dates, time-cards, etc. J. C. Tucker, G. N. A., 234 Clark street, Chicago, Ill.

A Mean Allusion.

She—Do you know, that kitten there reminds me of you?"

He—"I'd like to know where the connection is."

She—"It seems to have just about as much success in catching its tail as you do in finding your mustache."

A Choice.

Druggist—Have you the money for the medicine, little boy?" "No, ma'am. Papper said if you couldn't trust him he'd rather go without it and get well."

Florida.

Are you going to Florida? Do you want rates, maps, routes, time-cards and full information? If so, address H. W. Sparks, 234 Clark street, Chicago.

His Sadness.

Freddy—Why does Cholly look so sad lately? Is he in love? Teddy—Yes, and the girl he loves isn't.

OUR BUDGET OF FUN.

A Collection of Choice Witticisms, Original and Selected.

He'd Been Struck.

He struck me!
Strong was the blow,
Amazed, I stood sore dazed,
Quailing before the foe,
Who'd struck me—
Yes, even as I pass'd,
High heaven and the world
With dizzy speed about me twirled,
For I'd been struck:
So cowed, I stood aghast.
He struck me!
Yea, e'en at my breast
I felt that cursed touch,
And, sore oppress,
Did shiver at his clutch.
I reel'd: the planets thro' the air
Swam dazzling—then a calm,
The triumph of despair;
For from my outstretched palm
The craven boon I felt him pluck,
And with my leg drawn out, no longer mates the pair,
I limped away—
For $2 I'd been struck. Yea—struck!
—New York World.

Sure.

Papa—"When you grow up you'll be able to read books and find out ever so many things."

Johnny—"Oh, yes! and I'll tell you and mamma about all those questions she can't answer."

Breaking About Even.

Judge: "I understand that Mr. Rosenbaum's twenty-five-hundred-dollar mare ran away, broke her leg and had to be shot," said the new reporter to Mr. Rosenbaum's business partner.

"Yes," answered the partner, dryly.

"And that his mother-in-law, who was in the carriage at the time, was thrown out and seriously injured."

"Yes. She died an hour afterward."

"What! Dead! Dear me! I suppose Mr. Rosenbaum is all broke up about it?"

"Vell, no. Mr. Rosenbaum seems to be almost reconciled. Of course he wishes it vas a cheaper horse, but, den, he t'inks dot, everyt'ing considered, he broke about even."

True Appreciation.

Teacher draws a red horse on the blackboard, and proceeds to write a story under it for the primary children thus:

I see a horse.

I see a — horse, etc., expecting the child to supply size and color adjectives.

First bright boy reads:

"I see a horse. I see a minus horse."

A Wise Doctor.

Fuller—"Dr. Nomad told Tibby that drugs would not help her complaint, and recommended out-door exercise on a wheel as being the best thing for him."

Butler—"The doc. is simple to throw business away like that."

Fuller—"Oh, I don't know; he charges double rates for surgical visits."

Not Common Clay.

Chicago Tribune: Thirsty Traveler (whose carriage is at the gate)—"Aw—can I have a drink at your well?"

Farmer's wife—"Why, of course, ma'am. Wait a moment and I'll bring a glass."

Thirsty Traveler—"Thanks, no. I always carry a cup. One doesn't want to drink out of something that everybody else does, you know."

His Anxiety

Washington Star: "I'll never forget the trouble an investigation once gave me," remarked Senator Sorghum, reminiscently.

"Didn't you want to hold it?"

"Hold it?" he echoed. "Thats exactly what I was trying to do. And I was afraid every minute that it was going to break loose and get away from me."

The Lecture and the Lecturer.

Mrs. Learned—"Had you no engagement for tonight, dear?"

Prof. Learned (jumping to his feet)—"By Jove! I was booked to lecture at 7:30 on "The Cultivation of the Memory," and here it is 10 o'clock! Why in blazes couldn't you have asked that question three hours ago?"

Printer's Fault.

Indianapolis Journal: Watts—How do you understand that expression of Shakespeare's "Go to?"

Putts—It is my idea that it arose from the printers not knowing the use of the dash when his works were first published.

A Prophecy.

Chicago News: She—It was the poet Gray who said: "The paths of glory lead but to the grave," wasn't it?

He—Yes. I guess he must have had a vision in which he saw our heroes coming from victory back to fever camps.

He—"War was declared April 21, 1898, wasn't it?"

Not a Shooting Soldier.

Anglo-American: Socialist to Soldier—"I say, you are one of the people. You wouldn't fire on your own countrymen, would you?"

Soldier—"No. Catch me shooting anybody."

"That's the way I like to hear a soldier talk. Sit down and have some beer."

"Now have a smoke," said the Social Democrat, after the repast was over. Once more the soldier complied.

"Are there many soldiers in your regiment who would refuse to fire on the people?" asked the Socialist.

"Oh, yes, several. You see, we members of the band have nothing to shoot with. I am a member of the band."

And then the band played.

Ordered Out.

Pittsburg News: Gracie and Mamie had been particularly bad the other day, and their mother was desperate. Finally she called the little girls to her and said sternly:

"Children, I want you to just pick up your clothes and go away from this house. You are so bad I can not stand it any longer. Your papa and I have picked two other little girls out that we want to live here; they are good and do not quarrel. Just take all your dolls and dresses and go clear away."

Grace burst into tears and Mamie looked distressed. Finally, between her sobs, Mamie exclaimed:

"Well, I don't care if the little girls are good—they won't be good long after they come here to live, any way!"

His Former Occupation.

"I've just found out," said the flag lieutenant, "what that gunner's mate yonder did before he enlisted."

"What?" asked the quartermaster.

"I happened to be standing near him when he pulled the lanyard during the bombardment this morning and every time he did it he yelled 'C-a-a-a-s-h! Change in a minute!'"—Chicago News.

A Pertinent Query.

"To me," said Willie Wishington feverishly, "you represent all that is most sublime. I believe that destiny intended us for each other."

"Are you alluding," inquired Miss Cayenne icily, "to the affinity popularly supposed to exist between the sublime and the ridiculous?"—Washington Star.

Simply Preposterous.

Managing Editor—Here, this won't do.

Dramatic Editor—What's wrong?

Managing Editor—You say in your account of that new play that Jones made a hit as the Spanish cavalier.—Chicago News.

Economical.

She—I understand that matter weighing one pound on the moon's surface, if transferred to the earth, would weigh six pounds.

He—Can't you manage to buy your butter up there, dear?—Yonkers Statesman.

A Doubly Clever Fellow.

Judge: Ethel—Only think! They say Lord Littledough actually borrowed the money of his finances to buy the engagement ring with.

Penelope—Yes, and then went out and got trusted for it.

Tact.

Puck: Nearpass—"I hope the minister didn't refer to the creditors the deceased left."

Bennet—"He merely said that his loss would be felt wherever he was known."

Friendly Comment.

He—Yes, he called me a blooming idiot—

Him—As if one could not see that you had gone to seed.—Indianapolis Journal.

Certainly.

"That Mrs. Sinker can't keep a cook to save her life."

"Well, she ought to—to save her husband's."

Gave Her Pleasure.

"What do you think Miss Podus said about my photograph?"

"Goodness knows."

"She said she liked to look at it, because it reminded her of another man."—Chicago Record.

Looking for a Victim.

Admiral Sampson (grinding his teeth)—"What misguided wretch was it said: "Everything comes to him who waits?"

Ladies, for that sick nervous headache try Coat's Headache Capsules, guaranteed to cure or money refunded. They contain nothing injurious, write for free samples. H. H. Coat, Family Chemist, Mason City, Ill. 10 and 25c at all druggists.

Heaven will be inherited by every man who has heaven in his soul.—Beecher.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

If you borrow trouble you must put up your peace of mind as collateral.

Piso's Cure for Consumption is the only cough medicine used in my house.—D. C. Albright, Mifflinburg, Pa., Dec. 11, '95.

Don't think because a man is a poet he can't appreciate lobster salad.

Coe's Cough Balsam

is the oldest and best. It will break up a cold quicker than anything else. It is always reliable. Try it.

The hitching posts at the Chilson corner need a dose of repairs.

When All Else Fails, Try Yi-Ki.

It positively cures, completely removes corns and bunions. Try Yi-Ki and find comfort. 15c. all drug stores.

Why doesn't the blind goddess of justice consult an oculist?

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.

For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Gus Warrington of Lime Creek Sundayed here this week.

Could Not Keep House

Without Dr. Seth Arnold's Cough Killer. Mrs. E. J. Barton, Bord, Wis. 25c. a bottle.

The harder a man works the more he earns for others.

Lady canvassers find profitable employment selling Dr. Sennett's Enamel Cream for the Teeth, and "Sompara," for cleansing the hands and nails. Address Box 698, Bloomington, Ill.

Irony is jesting hidden behind gravity.—Weiss.

[illegible] Farms for sale. $2 per acre cash, balance [illegible] crop until paid. J. Ruthart, Sioux City, Ia.

There are 4,500 women printers in England.

When They Are Worth Picking.

Man from the East—"I suppose you find the people from the gold fields very profitable customers?"

Skaguay Sam (proprietor of the North Star faro parlors)—"No; they ain't no good to us. It's the fellers what's goin' in that we're lookin' after."

STORIES OF RELIEF.

Two Letters to Mrs. Pinkham.

Mrs. John Williams, Englishtown, N. J., writes:

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—I cannot begin to tell you how I suffered before taking your remedies. I was so weak that I could hardly walk across the floor without falling. I had womb trouble and such a bearing-down feeling; also suffered with my back and limbs, pain in womb, inflammation of the bladder, piles and indigestion. Before I had taken one bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I felt a great deal better, and after taking two and one-half bottles and half a box of your Liver Pills I was cured. If more would take your medicine they would not have to suffer so much."

Mrs. Joseph Peterson, 513 East St., Warren, Pa., writes:

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—I have suffered with womb trouble over fifteen years. I had inflammation, enlargement and displacement of the womb. I had the backache constantly, also headache, and was so dizzy. I had heart trouble, it seemed as though my heart was in my throat at times choking me. I could not walk around and I could not lie down, for then my heart would beat so fast I would feel as though I was smothering. I had to sit up in bed nights in order to breathe. I was so weak I could not do anything.

"I have now taken several bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and used three packages of Sanative Wash, and can say I am perfectly cured. I do not think I could have lived long if Mrs. Pinkham's medicine had not helped me."

5 DROPS

TOO GOOD TO BE FREE! But send 25c and we will mail you a trial treatment of "5 Drops."

CURED BY "5 DROPS" TWO YEARS AGO FROM RHEUMATISM AND HEART WEAKNESS

After Suffering 49 Years—69 Years Old and Still Well.

[TRADE MARK.] IT PROVES TO BE A PERMANENT CURE—READ LETTERS.

SWANSON RHEUMATIC CURE CO., 167 Dearborn St., Chicago: DEAR SIR—Your bottle of "5 DROPS" received. It was for an old friend, Mr. Wm. Edwards, of Martinsdown, Mo. He has had Neuralgia in his chest, suffering a great deal of pain, so much so that it affected his heart, and he could not sleep on account of a smothered feeling. He had been under the care of the most eminent physicians, but obtained no relief until I gave him a dose of "5 DROPS." He rested well the very first night, and has ever since, and is gaining daily. I myself am 69 years old, and commenced taking "5 DROPS" last April for Rheumatism, which has troubled me terribly for 49 years; also for a weak heart, from which I have suffered since I was 18. Since taking "5 DROPS" the Rheumatism has all disappeared, the stiffness has gone from my joints and my heart never misses a beat. In all my life I have never felt so well, and I owe my health to "5 DROPS." I only wish I could sound my bugle of praise loud enough to be heard the world over, and could convince every sufferer that "5 DROPS" is all you claim it to be and more.—Mrs. D. T. Carver, Winslow, Stevenson Co., Ill. Sept. 9, 1896.

STILL WELL TWO YEARS LATER.

SWANSON RHEUMATIC CURE CO.—Two years ago this present month I sent you an unsolicited testimonial of what "5 DROPS" had done for myself and friend, Mr. Edwards, and now I want to send you another, saying we have not had a return of Neuralgia or Rheumatism since. I think the cure must be permanent; but if it should return, I keep "5 DROPS" in the house and I know that would stop it. It is good for so many things no house should be without it. Yours truly, Mrs. D. T. Carver. Sept. 26, 1896.

The wonderful success that has attended the introduction of "5 DROPS" is unprecedented in the history of the world. Think of it! It has CURED more than One Million and a Quarter sufferers within the last three years. This must appeal to you. One million and a quarter people cannot all be mistaken. If suffering we trust you may have sufficient confidence to send for three large bottles of "5 DROPS" for $5.50, which will surely cure you. If not, then send for a $1.00 bottle, which contains enough medicine to more than prove its wonderful curative properties. Prepaid by mail or express. This wonderful curative gives almost instant relief and is a PERMANENT CURE for Rheumatism, Sciatica, Neuralgia, Dyspepsia, Backache, Asthma, Hay Fever, Catarrh, Sleeplessness, Nervousness, Nervous and Neuralgic Headaches, Heart Weakness, Toothache, Earache, Croup, La Grippe, Malaria, Creeping Numbness, Bronchitis, and kindred diseases.

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Invincible size; highest quality. Ask your dealer for one and you will be convinced. If he does not keep it, send $1.00 and we will send you a box of 25 postpaid direct from factory.

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BECAUSE THE HOUSEWIFE DIDN'T USE

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Price 50 cents of all druggists or R. P. Hall & Co., Nashua, N. H.

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Dr. Kay's Renovator, Guaranteed to cure dyspepsia, constipation, liver and kidney diseases, biliousness, headache, etc. At druggists 50c & $1.

DROPSY NEW DISCOVERY; gives quick relief and cures worst cases. Send for book of testimonials and 10 days treatment Free. Dr. H. H. GREEN'S SONS, Atlanta, Ga.

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Dr. Kay's Lung Balm for coughs, colds, and throat diseases

Best Cough Syrup. Tastes Good. Use in time. Sold by druggists. CONSUMPTION

What's the Matter with KANSAS?

KANSAS OWNS (in round numbers) 900,000 horses and mules, 600,000 milch cows, 1,600,000 other cattle, 2,400,000 swine and 220,000 sheep.

ITS FARM PRODUCTS this year include 150,000,000 bushels of corn, 60,000,000 bushels of wheat and millions more millions of dollars in value of other grains, fruits, vegetables, etc.

In debts alone it has a shortage.

Send for a free copy of "What's the Matter with Kansas?"—a new book of 96 pages of facts.

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UNION LABEL

NEARLY all European nations are now acting as though they would like to have Johnny Bull stand over and give them a place in Uncle Sam's affections.

TEN thousand Christmas presents are on their way to Manilla for American soldiers and sailors. It makes a long trip for Santa Claus, but if there are no accidents he'll get there in time to give the boys a merry Christmas.

ADMIRAL DEWEY stands to-day confessed by his own and other countries as the first naval officer of the world, and his ability as a commander and a diplomat are exquisitely blended with the modesty that ever gives the chief adornment to heroism.

GENERAL James Longstreet, the commissioner of railroads, in his annual report calls attention to the general prosperity in railroad affairs and recommends the government construction and operation of a first-class double track railway from Kansas City, Mo., to San Diego, Cal., by air line route.

ONE of the most important subjects to be discussed by congress at its coming meeting will be that of tariff regulations for the new territories. It is expected that the military tariffs now in force will be continued and will be levied against all nations, including the governing country. The question will be exhaustively discussed in the forthcoming message of President McKinley to congress.

SHARPS AND FLATS.

The woman who calls her husband "dearest" in speaking to him, does not mean a bit more than if she had called him "John." It is only a habit of hers.

Now are the days when it is no longer necessary to sew on buttons. A chrysanthemum pinned over the spot will answer the same purpose.

"Full joy hath he who hath content" but he is missing a lot of fun.

An English newspaper recently offered a prize of five pounds for the best reply to the question, "Who makes the best wife?" One of the replies received was as follows: "Dear Sir:—Mine. Yours truly, Bertram Boggs."

Findlay Republican: Calvin S. Brice, the newspaper assures us, is about to return to Ohio politics. Calvin would do well to return to Ohio first.

C., H. & D. EXCURSIONS.

Tourist tickets on sale every day to the south and west at very low rates.

Homeseekers to the south and west on November 15, and Dec. 6 and 20 Only one fare, plus $2, for the round trip.

Heard and Seen.

"There is one thing which I never do in a street car, no matter whether it is crowded or not, and that is to cross my legs in comfort and watch other people crowd by me scraping their dresses or trousers' legs against my shoes," said a man to the Observer yesterday. "Some men think that if they draw in their feet when some one passes, that person escapes, but it is seldom the case. I always put it down that a man who crosses his legs in a car, except when he happens to be seated next to the front door of the car, is selfish and the instinct of selfishness is asserting itself. Many's the time I have seen women try to get by a dirty shoe and fail utterly while many men have their overcoats soiled by striking the ever present dirty shoe. When both feet are on the floor there is no danger. Besides fellow passengers who may be inconvenienced it is a source of annoyance to the conductor who must run the gauntlet of a row of unsightly footgear every time he enters the car.

In many cities the club women have taken action toward having an ordinance passed prohibiting the tobacco chewers from using the sidewalks as cuspidors to be wiped up by the trains of the dresses of femininity. There has been some talk of instituting the same movement in Lima. To-day THE NEWS in conversation with one of the city's prominent physicians, gleaned the following opinion:

"It is eminently proper that the ladies of Lima should raise a protest against the filthy habit of expectorating tobacco juice upon our sidewalks. It is indecent and unhealthy. In places where men congregate for any length of time, as at our prominent business corners, it is no unusual sight to see the sidewalk so foul that women cannot pass by without risk of ruining their skirts. Business men should, if the club women of Lima decide to start a crusade, join them against the uncleanness, for surely it is a detriment for any place of business to tolerate filth at its entrance. "Another argument against spitting in public places is that of unhealthiness. The person who expectorates on the street may be affected with an infectious or contagious disease, as diphtheria, consumption or something worse. This sputa becomes dried, mingles with the dust, and is carried by the wind to the lungs of healthy persons, where it may find lodgment and start new troubles.

The man who feels that the use of tobacco is necessary for his comfort, ought to be willing at least, to give no annoyance to the personal comfort of others The person who is unwilling to regard the rights of innocent persons needs some legal restraint.

IN PINK OF CONDITION

Are Kane and Nolan, Who are Matched for a Glove Contest in the Near Future.

Kane and Nolan, who are matched for a glove contest at Delphos next week, are getting in fine shape for their contest.

Patsy Nolan, the Oil City, Pa., boy, has been doing road work for the past week and is now putting on finishing touches in the rear of the Turf restaurant, where he cordially invites his friends and admirers to witness his skill.

Cheapest place to buy is at Rowland and Cremean's, 437 South Main. Round steak, 11c; sirloin steak, 12 1-2 and porter house 12 1-2. Everything fresh.

A FAKIR

Is Corbett—One of His Seconds Tells How He and the Public Were Duped

And Says Corbett Has Seen His Best Day as a Fighter—In Other Words He is a "Has Been."

One of Corbett's seconds, in speaking of the battle and its sensational end, the second said:

"That fight between Corbett and Sharkey was a big job, and, furthermore, I was double-crossed by the former people. I was in Corbett's corner and was led to believe the fight was on the square, and that Jim would do his best. I was grossly deceived. McVey never before played such a prominent part as a second as he did the night of the battle in Corbett's corner. Hitherto he had been merely a bottle holder, and not a second who gave advice and directed the plan of battle. He played his part of entering the ring in a half-hearted manner, and the minute he went through the ropes I knew something was wrong. I also want to say that Jim Corbett is a "has been," and he has gone back rapidly since his battle with Fitzsimmons at Carson City. He Has seen his best day as a fighter, and I believe he knew this when he matched himself with Sharkey. I was hoodwinked into acting as a second, and was assisting a man who was not on the level. Corbett has been with McVey ever since the fight, and even went home with him last Tuesday night. This is pretty strong, and I am done with them all."

Two thousand copies of THE NEWS will be given away every Saturday, thereby making it the best advertising medium in the city. tf

The Stage.

At Piney Ridge to-night, "A true Southern play with real Southern characters and acceptable Southern sentiment." That is what "At Piney Ridge" is, with "not a dull moment from the time the first curtain rises till the last falls." This is the St. Paul's Dispatch's opinion of David Higgins character study of the mountains of eastern Tennessee, that is to be the next attraction at Faurot's.

GEO. WILSON'S MINSTRELS MONDAY.

The Cleveland-Wilson Minstrels show is filled with the dash and sparkle that has always characterized the companies organized by W. S. Cleveland and George Wilson. This show is of the right length and goes with a snap and a swing from start to finish. It is the culmination of long years of work and costly experience on the part of both men. It is hard to overpraise it, because money and brains together can organize something better than anything that has gone before, and that is what Wilson and Cleveland has done.

DEAFTESS CANNOT BE CURED

By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous linings of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give one hundred dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best

FOOT BALL.

The Springfield Team Received an Awful Drubbing Yesterday.

Lima's Crack Team Was Entirely too Fast for Them—Score 22 to Nothing.

The foot ball game yesterday was largely attended by a crowd of admirers of that popular though rough game.

The weather was fine and the game, while exciting, was a little bit too much one sided. The boys from the Wittenberg college at Springfield were outclassed, the company was too fast for them as the score, which was 22 to 0, will indicate.

It was three o'clock when referee Black, of Springfield, announced the game. The Y. M. C. A. team won the toss and proceeded to kick the ball at will until the game was finished. The line up was as published in THE NEWS last night.

Referee, Black, Springfield; umpire, Harding, Lima Y. M. C. A.; time keepers, Sifferd, of Springfield, and Macdonald, of Lima; linemen, Kensinger, of Springfield, and Chase, of the local Y. M. C. A. Time of halves, 20 minutes.

WAS A FAILURE.

The mounted sword contest was a fake, owing to the fact that Duncan C. Ross had imbibed too freely of quinine.

When in need of anything in the shoe line see W. H. Neise, he has some good bargains for every one who may favor him with a call.

MANY ADMIRERS.

The Lima House Thrown Open to Public Inspection Last Night.

Landlord Koch, of the Lima House, was one of the proudest men in Lima last night, and he had much to be thankful for. It was the date of the opening of his magnificent hotel, which is, without a doubt, one of the finest and most up-to-date hostelries in the north-west.

For many months this hotel has been undergoing improvements and the change which has taken place is indeed an artistic one.

Last night the beautiful rooms were thrown open to the view of the public and while the opera house orchestra discoursed sweet music, the members of the reception committee escorted their friends through the richly furnished apartments and many were the exclamations of admiration as the visitors found their way into the parlors, turkish smoking room and the private dining room.

About 9:30 o'clock refreshments were served, consisting of turkey with cranberry sauce, salad, ice cream, celery, assorted cakes and coffee. Souvenirs in the form of small purses and cigar cases were given the ladies and gentlemen.

Among those on the reception committee were Messrs. C. D. Crites, J. W. VanDyke, Charley Stolzenbach, Sol Weisenthal, A. C. Reichelderfer, Walter Cooney, G. E. Bluem, Mr. Seligman, George Bentle, D. J. O'Day, S. S. Wheeler, Joe Kuhn, representatives of the press and Bert Campbell.

CHEAP CAB SERVICE

For Washington visitors via Pennsylvania Lines. A complete and efficient cab service similar to that in operation at passenger stations of the Pennsylvania system at Broad street, Philadelphia, and at Twenty-third street, New York, has just been established at the Pennsylvania passenger station in Washington, D. C. The service is satisfactorily performed at very reasonable rates by brand new rubbertired coupes, victorias and omnibuses. The vehicles will be found at the cab stand at the B street entrance to the Washington station, and may be engaged by the trip or by the hour. Visitors to the National Capital will find the new arrangement a very convenient one. m w f until Dec. 3

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Man to drive team. 228 North Central avenue. 5tf

Man for grocery store. 228 North Central avenue. 5tf

Men for all kinds of work. 228 North Central avenue. 5tf

WANTED — MEN — Men for oil fields; 228 N. Central ave. 1 tf

Wanted—Female Help.

WANTED—GIRLS—Dining room girls, chambermaids, cooks; 228 N. Central ave. 1 tf

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And save money. It furnishes the Best Insurance at a lower cost than any other Company. It issues ALL approved forms of RENEWABLE TERM, LIFE and ENDOWMENT Policies. Guaranteed LOAN, CASH, PAID-UP and EXTENDED INSURANCE VALUES plainly stated in its Policies. Dividends to policy holders GREATER THAN IN ANY OTHER COMPANY. For full particulars see, or write to

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W. A. SMITH, 200 S. Main St.

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Manufacturers of Latest Styles

336 North Main Street. MEN'S SHOES,

Save your money by getting your shoes repaired. PRICES FOR REPAIRING: Men's half soles, sewed, 50c; Ladies' half soles, sewed, 35c; Boys' half soles, sewed, 40c; Children's half soles, sewed, 25c; Men's heels, 20c; Women's heels, 15c.

Pure oak tanned leather used. Work done while you wait.

GENTS' SEWED CALF SHOES.

Made to measure, perfect fit guaranteed, $3.

All the latest styles and shapes. Select your own leather and see your shoes made.

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The High Art

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EYE, EAR and THROAT SPECIALIST.

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Only up to date concern of this kind in Lima. Give him a call.

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Rough Dry at Four Cents a Pound.

All Flat Work Will Be Ironed.

No less than ten pounds will be taken. The Niagara has recently increased its facilities and intends making a specialty of this kind of work.

Ask your neighbors if you want to know the kind of work you get at the Niagara Laundry. We please them all. Prompt, efficient and reliable. Why have the inconvenience of the washing at home when you can have it done so cheap.

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ott, Dispatcher, Late of Lima, With the St. L. & S. F. Road.

e Resigns as Receiver of the Clover ite Happenings of Interest to the lan.

ant Engineer Schwartz, of l. & D., is here from Cincin-

intendent Floeter and Chief ner Long, of the C H & D., Ottawa and Findlay to-day, ng the company's property.

Bellefontaine dispatch: It on what is considered reliable y that the Detroit and Lima railroad will build a $3,500 this city very shortly.

F. Pierce has resigned as re- the Clover Leaf railroad, on of ill health, his physicians that he must give up active at least six months. He was d receiver of the road Janu- 895.

Scott, who for some time was E. & W. dispatcher's office accepted the position of ef dispatcher for one of the of the St. Louis and San road, and has his headquar- t. Smith, Ark. The div s ons m are those extending from h to Paris, Texas, and Spring- .

ry at Youngstown gave Mrs. Hammond a verdict of $9,750 the Pennsylvania Company eath of her husband, an en- rho was killed in 1892 in a at Shreve, O. This is the erdict for a death ever ren- Mahoning county The case n to the supreme court twice.

s I. Weaver brought suit to- nst the C H & D Railway in the sum of $10,000, based es sustained in an accident in While making a coupling, s hand was caught between a projecting lumber and the car. He claims to have re- ermanent injuries and charges accident was due to careless- negligence on the part of the t.

er peculiar damage suit has ught against the Ohio Cen- ilbert Bargaheiser, a former of the company, who asks 0 damages. The plaintiff al t through the fault of the he was stalled for ten min- e Maxahaha tunnel and the of the foul smoke, with which e filled the tunnel, has in- health to the full extent of ges asked.

E & W has filed an answer l States court to the amended of W. H. McLaughlin, who e company to recover for personal injuries. a bridge builder hurt while performing the hich he was employed by the The company now claims Laughlin knew that trains nstantly passing over the which he was at work, and to keep a prudent lookout to ing injured Responsibility cident is denied by the com-

Locomotive and Machine has completed an entire train w guage cars for a South Afri- pany The cars are to be n boxes suitable for transpor- er the mountains on the backs This is perhaps the first the world which on the backs of hy- e high summits of South a mountains The Lima firm the Shay cog wheel lo- signed for hauling heavy mountain grades where y engine could scarcely

the C. L. &M railroad is ed with all possible haste, ought that by the first of e tracks will be completed ere and Defiance. A "Y" the new line with the Find- Wayne & Western, west of being put in, and 1,000 steel rails are already there, to be distributed along the e ties are all down, and the ave been placed in first class The rails are 60 feet long and pounds to the foot.

win engine is at Ottawa, be put into service as soon as led.

er or not the line will be rthward from Defiance, as intended, this winter or not, h the different towns along If they will come up with er amount of assistance, the be built, otherwise not.

gh is not like a fever. It does to run a certain course. Cure and effectually with One Cough Cure, the best remedy es and for the most severe We recommend it because it's H. F. Vortkamp, northeast orth and Main street.

will be a special meeting of amp Modern Woodmen, for ose of obligating persons de- become members. Meeting held at the office of P. A. 4:30 o'clock to-morrow after-

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HANDS UP!

A Daring Holdup on South Main Street at a Late Hour Last Night.

Ralph Lewis Was the Victim—Foot Pads Secure Only a Small Amount For Their Trouble —Police News.

The foot pads, thugs, burglars, robbers and thieves are still within the borders of the city.

To exterminate or even locate them, seems to be a very difficult matter for the police force. Every corner of the city seems to be invaded with robbers, just in from the windy city, or some other metropolis.

The numerous thefts and holdup, committed in Lima recently have broken all previous records. But still they come.

Late last night while Ralph Lewis, a member of the opera house orchestra, was on his way home he was confronted by two men at the South Main street bridge, and after some forceful persuasion on the part of the crooks he tendered them his money which amounted to several dollars.

John Maxwell, Joe Harris, colored, and Alfred Nordea, the three men arrested last Monday on suspicion were given a hearing before Mayor Prophet to-day. It will be remembered that a quantity of jewelry and other valuables were found on their person.

It was thought they were the same parties who committed several robberies in Ft. Wayne, but the goods found in their possession however, did not correspond with those stolen in Ft. Wayne.

ON SUSPICION.

Policeman Roney arrested a stranger last night on suspicion. He was making a house to house canvas, looking for something to eat, and probably planning to rob some one's house.

St. Marys Argus: A couple of Lima officers came to St. Marys Thursday for the purpose of arresting a fellow named Wilch. He is wanted in Lima on a charge of stealing some watches and clothes there about a month ago. The officers proceeded to the machine shop where he was working and collared him. But he, being rather slick with his tongue, convinced them that he ought to be allowed time to wash and put on some clean clothes, as he might cast discredit upon their characters if they were seen with him in his present condition. They let him go and wash, and he then proceeded to dust. The last seen of him he was making excellent time down the railroad track. They returned home without their prisoner, sadder but wiser men.

SHORT SPECIALS.

Mrs. Nancy Staley and Minnie France, her neice, were burned to death in Huntington, W Va, Thursday morning by a fire in the flats on the river front. May Staley was badly injured

Gen Leonard Wood, the military governor at Santiago, has determined to put an end to gambling He is framing a law for that purpose and will impose $500 fine on the first person convicted.

In the decree accepting the resignation of Marshal Blanco as captain general of Cuba, the queen regent eulogizes the zeal, intelligence and loyalty with which the governor general has fulfilled his functions.

The emperor and empress of Germany arrived at Munich Thursday and were met at the railroad station by Prince Luitpold, the regent of Bavaria, and the ministers. After partaking of a luncheon their majesties resumed their journey

The armored cruiser Kaiser, flagship of the German squadron, commanded by Prince Henry, of Prussia, which was recently ashore in Kam-Sah Bay, has arrived at Hong Kong with three holes in her bottom. She will be docked for repairs.

The gunboat Helena, which is on her way to join Adm. Dewey's fleet in the Philippines, by way of the Mediterranean and the Suez canal, has arrived at Funchal, Madeira, and will continue her long cruise without unnecessary delay.

Capt. Higginson, of the Harvard university crew, announces officially that the Australian oarsman, O'Dea, late coach of the university of Wisconsin crew, had been engaged to teach rowing at Harvard, and will begin his work December 1.

The Italian government has sent an ultimatum to the sultan of Morocco on the subject of the detention and ill-treatment of Italian proteges. A week has been given in which to reply, and the Italian warship Umbria will fetch the answer of the sultan.

The Madrid correspondent of the London Daily Mail says: The Americans have demanded Young island, in the Caroline group, as a coaling and cable station. The remains of Christopher Columbus on their arrival will be deposited in a special monument at Sevilla.

A duel has been fought between the minister of the interior Desiderius De Perczeel and Deputy Hotto, a member of the independent party, as an outcome of the ministers speech in the French parliament on November 23, in which the deputy considered himself insulted.

KLINE

In Contempt—Attorney General Pushing the Case Against the Standard Oil Company To-day at Columbus.

On Attorney Kline's Advice, Officers of the [illegible] to Produce Books.

At columbus this morning the supreme court had a case presented which is of immense importance, both to the interests directly involved, and to the court itself. It is practically the keynote of the Standard oil litigation which has already exhausted years of work and thousands of dollars on both sides, and is now but little nearer a termination than at the start.

On the complaint of Attorney-General Monnett, Mr. Virgil P. Kline, the attorney for the Standard Oil trust, was to day hauled before the supreme court to show cause why he should not be held in contempt. On his advice, officers of the construction companies composing the Standard Oil trust have failed to produce books and papers needed by the state to establish a case against the trust.

Inasmuch as Mr. Kline is an attorney for the trust and this action was taken on his advice, the witnesses are released from the action of the court, and the punishment, if any is ordered, will fall upon Mr. Kline, as the leader in the alleged contempt. If the supreme court does not find Mr. Kline in contempt it amounts to holding that the court has no right to compel the production of the private books and papers of a company in litigation in court. That means that the Standard Oil trust and its constituent companies may whistle at the state and the attorney general, and continue to do business in the way they best like.

Many a household is saddened by death because of the failure to keep on hand a safe and absolutely certain cure for croup such as One Minute Cough Cure. See that your little ones are protected against emergency. H. F. Vortkamp, northeast corner North and Main.

SHIPS' MASCOTS IN BATTLE.

The Detroit's Goat Particularly Distinguished Himself While Under Fire.

"Scared?" said an engineer of the Terror, speaking of San Juan. "Well, I guess I was. It was awfully hot below, and we couldn't see a thing, and the concussion of the guns and the knowledge that we were in a rain of shells were mighty unpleasant. The cat and I were very badly frightened. I guess the cat was worse than I. But, then, you know, the cat and I were the only folks on board that minded it."

He had evidently forgotten the celebrated goat, William Terror, who excited so much interest when the monitor was in New York last winter, says the Chicago Inter Ocean Billy is very young. They call him an apprentice goat It was his first time under fire, and he behaved very badly. When the action opened he was on the upper deck, and at the first broadside became panic-stricken He tore about the deck A sailor had to carry him below, and in the depth of the ship, alone and uncomforted, he trembled and bleated till the last gun was silent

The Detroit's goat was braver. He had a station on the gundeck, and while the firing was going on and the shells were whirring over him he remained absolutely quiet But whenever there came a lull he capered madly about. There is a difference of opinion as to why he was so composed during all the confusion. His friends among the crew say he was interested, and was watching the battle with a critical eye, and that his subsequent capers were but an expression of satisfaction at its results His detractors contend that he was paralyzed with fear, and that when the noise ceased the spell was broken, and he gave vent to his feelings of terror by his wild antics.

USE OF HASHEESH.

It Is Said to Be the Cause of Much Insanity Among the Natives of India.

The reports of the asylum at Cairo, Egypt, as to the native patients there exhibiting the nature of the mental disturbance associated with the excessive use of hasheesh are said to show some remarkable facts, it appearing that in 41 per cent. of all the male patients hasheesh alone, or in combination with alcohol, caused the mental symptoms, while this was the case with only seven per cent. of the females. As to whether there is a special recognizable form of mental disturbance produced by hasheesh, authorities conclude that in a considerable number of cases in Egypt the hasheesh is the chief if not the only cause of such mental disease. The usual types of the disease are hasheesh intoxication—that is, an elated and reckless swaggering state, with optical delusions and hallucinations. Acute mania is another form of hasheesh insanity, incoherence and exhaustion; again, there is exhibited a weak-mindedness, the patients, though well behaved, being excitable about small things and unconcerned as to the future.

Warships to Be Well Furnished.

The furniture of the battleships Kearsarge and Kentucky, orders for the making of which have been received at the Portsmouth navy yard, is to cost nearly $100,000.

COURT HOUSE.

Case Against S. A. Cordell, for Violation of the Winn Law, Being Heard.

Other Similar Cases to Follow—Lafayette Carr Asks for Divorce, but Defendant Wins—Court Matters.

Some time ago S. A. Cordell was arrested on complaint of the renowned (?) detective Ward, charged with having violated the Winn law, or in other words with selling intoxicants in a house of ill fame. This afternoon the case is being heard in common pleas court before Judge Richie. Similar charges have been filed against a number of others, and the result of the present case is being awaited with much interest and anxiety.

DIVORCE CASE ENDED.

In the divorce case Lafayette Carr, plaintiff, against Mary E. Carr, the decree was rendered this morning in favor of the defendant.

NOTES.

John Wilson, attorney-at-lay of Sidney, was a visitor at the court house to-day.

Lou Cunningham, of Toledo, transacted business at the county capitol this afternoon.

The hearing to the exceptions to the account of Joseph T. Benedum, insolvent, is being heard before Judge Robb.

The answer and cross-petition of the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance company against Maria C. Smith and others, was filed this morning.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

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Thanksgiving Dinner in Berlin.

BERLIN, Nov. 25.—A Thanksgiving dinner attended by 200 Americans was given at the Kaiserhof Thursday evening. John B. Jackson, secretary of the American embassy, presided at the banquet, and proposed toasts to President McKinley and Emperor William, both of which were received with cheers.

SHORT SPECIALS.

The earl of Stafford is coming to America to wed Mrs. Samuel J. Colgate.

Madame Dreyfus, the wife of the prisoner of Devil's island, has been authorized to cable her husband

Thanksgiving was observed in Huntsville, Ala., as a holiday. There were no drills and only necessary duties were performed by the soldiers and camp force. The 15th Infantry willy probably leave Saturday for Savannah under orders to join Gen. Carpenter at Neuvitas, Cuba.

A dispatch from Altona, near Hamburg, says an umbrella maker of Oldenburg, who boasted he had been chosen by lot to assassinate Emperor William on the latter's return from Palestine, has been sentenced to three years imprisonment after having been convicted of lese majeste.

The white house steward received the customary Thanksgiving turkey from H Vose, of Westerly, R. I. It was sent cleaned and prepared. For many years Mr. Vose has picked the finest turkey in Rhode Island to send to the president for Thanksgiving dinner. He occasionlly sends one for Christmas.

At New York the jury in the case of the United States against Max J. Lasar, diamond dealer, for the forfeiture of about $40,000 worth of diamonds, which it was charged were smuggled into the country by Lasar, returned a verdict Wednesday forfeiting the diamonds to the government. Lasar is under indictment on the criminal charge of having smuggled the diamonds.

The naval court of inquiry appointed to investigate the causes of detention of the cruiser Buffalo has reported to the navy department that no blame for the series of mishaps to that ship is to be attached either to Commander Hemphill or to Chief Engineer Beig. Three of the subordinate mechanics have been dropped from the service, and the ship is ordered to sail from New York Friday for Manila by way of the Suez route.

Mrs. Pullman's Allowance.

CHICAGO, Nov. 25.—By the order of the probate court, Mrs. Hattie S. Pullman, widow of George M. Pullman, will receive $9,000 per month on account of her share of the estate. This amount is declared to be materially less than the actual income accruing to her from her division of the property left by the palace car magnate. In addition to the monthly payment authorized by the court, the account of the executors of the estate, showing that $83,734 had already been paid to Mrs Pullman, was approved by Judge Kohlsaat.

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HEALTH AND BEAUTY.

The great harm in sweets as sold is due entirely to unscrupulous makers who do not make them of pure ingredients. Sweets—if made by a good maker—such as butterscotch, sugar candy or chocolate are perfectly wholesome to eat in moderation.

Few women realize that the skin must be fed as well as the body, for if not it will become dry and wrinkled and look like old cracked leather. To omit washing the face at night is a great mistake, on retiring this is really of more importance than it is in the morning. It should be bathed in warm water and dried gently, but thoroughly. Then take some good emollient, such as cold cream, and rub in faithfully with the fingers until all of it is quite absorbed. The hands, neck and arms should be treated in the same manner. If these directions are carefully followed the skin will retain its youthful softness and the face its plumpness or contour long after middle age is past.

Want of sleep is most often caused by overactivity of the brain at night. It is utterly fatal to a thorough rest to work the brain until just before going to bed. You have dinner, say, at 7 and sit up until, perhaps, 12 or 1, thinking to tire yourself out and so be able to sleep, but by this time the food that partaken of has all been digested and you go to bed hungry and with the brain in a state of activity. Now, if work is left off about an hour before retiring and a glass of hot milk and a biscuit or two indulged in, insomnia will be banished in many cases. It would divert the blood from the brain and take away the cerebral excitement that prevents sleep. Everything that increases the amount of blood ordinarily circulating through the brain has a tendency to cause wakefulness. If the brain be often kept for long periods on the stretch during which the vessels are filled to repletion they cannot contract even when the exciting causes cease. Wakefulness, as a consequence, results and the condition of the individual becomes worse every day, time bringing the force of habit into operation. Everything that tends to throw the blood to the brain should be avoided. This is a vital matter and prevention is better than cure.

RECENT INVENTIONS.

A colorless ink for use in writing on postal cards, etc., is made by mixing together sulphuric acid and water, the writing becoming permanently visible when the paper is heated.

To secure corks in bottles without the use of wire bales a short nail is inserted in a hole formed in the neck of the bottle at the time it is cast, entering the side of the cork and holding it fast until withdrawn by a hook.

A Californian has patented an attachment for shears used in cutting flowers, consisting of a pair of metal plates to be clamped on the blades to shut and grip the stem as it is cut off, holding it until released by opening the blades.

To retain shirt bosoms in place a southerner has invented a device composed of two strips of flexible webbing crossing at the back, with channels at the end which clasp the edges of the bosom and draw it against the body to prevent it from bulging out.

In a recently patented bicycle saddle the frame is pivoted at the end of the post to tilt forward and backward, an adjustable coiled spring being attached to the point of the saddle to allow it to swing back until the tension of the spring balances the weight of the rider.

To prevent animals from swallowing their food in a hurry an improved manger has a spring partition suspended from the top, which permits only a small portion of the food to fall at a time, pressure on the partition to get larger mouthfuls shutting off the supply entirely.

BRITISH JOKES.

He—I am crazy over music—a real musical crank. She—Ah! a Handel.—Judy.

Gentleman—How long will the next train be? Irish Porter—Tin cars and an ingin, sorr.—Fun.

"Oh, yes, my husband's a good enough sort of man in his way." "Don't you mean in your way."—Pick-Me-Up.

She—Do you mean to tell me that I am the ony woman you ever loved? He—Yes. All the rest were girls.—Judy.

"We have a hen that laid two eggs in one day." "Oh, that's nothing. My father laid a foundation stone."—World's Comic.

Mike—The top av the mornin' to yez, Pat. Pat (muddled)—Shurs, Oi've got it, me bhoy; me head's going round somethin' awful!—Fun.

"By Jove, I'm awfully glad to see you here, Miss Brown! When I first came in I felt quite nervous—everybody looked so awfully clever."—Punch.

WHY?

Why is it that a free lunch is never free?

Why does a dark lantern give such a bright light?

Why isn't asking a man's name a question of identity?

Why isn't the bride well dressed who is well groomed?

Why shouldn't a man be excused for being biased against bigotry?

GIANT BEES IN PHILIPPINES.

Honeymakers Which It Is Proposed to Introduce.

There's one race inhabiting the Philippines which will be a welcome addition to American citizenship and will receive every facility and inducement to emigrate to the United States and engage in skilled labor in which it has no peer. This is the giant East Indian honey bee, whose immense capacity for making honey and wax has interested the department of agriculture in the consideration of any early effort to introduce it into the United States. To science this bee is known as apias dorsate. It is common throughout the tropical regions of the east, and in the Philippine islands the very largest variety of the species is found. It is nearly one-half larger than the American native honey bee and builds a comb, heavily with wax and honey, five or six times as large as those found in American orchards and forests. The question of acclimatizing these inhabitants of the Philippines in the colder latitudes of America is not discouraging. The giant bees are found in the mountain regions, all through India and have been seen busily at work at altitudes of 5,000 feet. In the Philippine islands, their colonies are most numerous in the mountains, as the unceasing quest of the natives for their honeycomb has driven them from the unprotected flatlands of the heavily wooded mountain regions. The Filipinos find their daily bread a rather easy proposition, but they are very fond of honey on the staff of life. There is also a large demand for wax for use in dyeing. The big bees build their hives on tall forest trees or on overhanging ledges of cliffs. When undisturbed branch swarms build near the parent colony, so that in a few years an immense bee settlement often grows up in the forest. The bees build a comb five or six feet long, four feet wide and from seven-eighths to one and one-half inches in thickness. The largest combs of American honey bees are not more than one-fifth of these dimensions. In appearance the giant bee is a smoky, glittering, iridescent black wasp-like figure, with orange bands encircling its body. There have been reports that this bee is most ferocious and on account of its great size extremely dangerous, but Professor Frank Benton of the department of agriculture has seen and handled them in their jungle haunts, and he tells a different story. They are such busy and persevering workers, according to Professor Benton's account, that they have lost dexterity with their stinging apparatus, and though they may alight, full of wrath and with evil intent, upon human hand or neck, they do not handle their offensive weapon with skill, and it takes them twenty or thirty seconds to get their sting in working order. They are quiet as compared with American bees.

Petitions have been coming into the department of agriculture for years asking that the government introduce these giant bees into the United States. No attempt at bringing them here has ever been successful. Professor Benton tried to bring to the United States a swarm of these honeymakers which he captured in the jungle. While he was sick in bed, on his way home, no one else on the vessel would attend them and they all died.—New York Sun.

A MIRACLE OF LONGEVITY.

Such Is Roman Opinion Respecting the Life of the Pope.

The pope appears to have recovered from the serious disposition which gave rise to the recent alarming reports. His holiness has never had a strong constitution. About his twentieth year he believed that he was wasting with phthisis, and wrote an eloquent piece of Latin verse on his approaching end, "Why Flatter Thyself?" Ten years later, when he was apostolic delegate at Benevento, he came near dying of a pernicious fever. It was thought that he was lost. He was saved by the act, then thought foolhardy, of Dr. Volpis, physician to the king of Naples, in plunging him into a bath of cold water at the moment of the most violent attack of the fever. Leo XIII. has not gone out of the vast inclosure which surrounds the vatican in twenty years, and yet has surpassed the years of life of Pius IX., who alone of all the popes had exceeded the years of Peter. In the eyes of superstitious Romans Leo XIII. has performed another miracle of longevity. He has escaped a critical date, one determined by a cabalistic calculation, which set the end of his life for the year 1892. It is said all his predecessors in this century, Pius IX., Gregory XVI., Pius VIII., Leo XII., Pius VII., have obeyed the law of figures. Leo XIII alone has escaped it, and the same calculation, if it were exact in his case, would assign him ten years more of existence which would make the pontiff surpass even the age of Doge Dandolo

Bluebeard.

Fatima was much moved when she beheld all those beheaded women in the forbidden chamber "Oh! the nerve of that man Bluebeard!" she exclaimed, "to tell me his former wives had died of ptomaines in ice cream!" Naturally, when her husband came home and saw the blood upon the key his feelings were better imagined than described.—Puck.

Hit It the First Time.

Mrs Matchman—Look how earnestly Rose and Mr Beach are bidding each other good night at the gate I am sure there is something between them. Mr. Matchman—So am I it's the gate.—Judge.

CHANGE IN STYLE OF FIGURES.

FOR WOMAN AND HOME.

General Items of Interest for Maids and Matrons.—The Home.

To Her.

Her mind's a garden, where do grow
Sweet thoughts like posies in a row;

Her soul is as some lucent star,
That shines upon us from afar;

Her heart's an ocean, wide and deep,
Where swirling waves of passion sweep.

Aye, deeper than the deepest sea,
And wide as woman's mystery;

O, man, the mariner, beware—
Yet will I chance a shipwreck there.
—Robert Loveman in Cosmopolitan.

Hint from Paris.

The dress represented in the illustration is of red cloth and has three

imitation flounces, with indentations edged with velvet. The bodice is also adorned with overlapping "decoupures" of rounded shape, and the front, which opens over a basis of embroidered white velvet, is embroidered with silver and silver thread The collar is of white velvet and the cravat of point de Venise. This dress is by Beer.—New York Herald.

Stuttering Is Contagious.

According to Dr Gulzmann, whose report has been adopted and published by the German government, involuntary mimicry plays a great part in stuttering Like yawning, it is catching The quicker a child is, and the more imitative, the more apt it is to imbibe any defects of speech on the part of those by whom it is surrounded. Conclusive evidence of the contagious nature of stuttering is to be found in the fact that the number of stutterers in a school increases steadily as the children pass upward from class to class In the public schools of Berlin, for example, the number of stutterers among the children in the lower class was 52 per cent of the total strength of the class This proportion rose from year to year as the children passed upward in the educational scale until in the higher class the percentage was discovered to be 1.61, or more than three times the number found when the same children were in the lowest class.

How to Prevent Coughing.

The following is from a doctor connected with an institution in which there are many children "There is nothing more irritable to a cough than coughing For some time I had been so fully assured of this that I determined for one minute at least to lessen the number of coughs heard in a certain ward in a hospital of the institution. By the promise of rewards and punishments I succeeded in inducing them to simply hold their breath when tempted to cough, and in a little while I was myself surprised to see how some of the children entirely recovered from the disease. Constant coughing is precisely like scratching a wound on the outside of the body, so long as it is done the wound will not heal. Let a person when tempted to cough draw a long breath and hold it until it warms and soothes every air cell, and some benefit will soon be received from this process. The nitrogen which is thus refined acts as an anodyne to the mucous membrane, allaying the desire to cough and giving the throat and lungs a chance to heal At the same time a suitable medicine will aid nature in her efforts to recuperate

Little Girl's Frock.

A pretty autumn frock for a little girl is made of navy blue wool, dotted with red.

The sleeves, which are slightly wrin-

kled, have a ruffle over the shoulders. The collar, waistbands and sash are of red ribbon.—The Latest.

Poisonous Plants.

It is not generally understood that a large number of plants with which we are familiar contain poison more or less deadly, according to the quantity consumed A very small piece of the bulb of a narcissus may cause death The leaves, flowers, roots and bark of the oleander are deadly, indeed the entire plant is dangerous to life. The jonquil and hyacinth are poisonous. Peach and cherry pits contain prussic acid enough to kill, and yew berries are responsible for serious loss of life Most people know that the lobelias are dangerous, but that the lady slipper poisons in the same way as ivy is known to but few. The bulbs of lilies of the valley are poisonous. Crocuses must be handled with care by certain persons The catalpa has poisonous qualities, and to poppies, especially the partly ripened seed pods, are ascribed many deaths among children

Don't "Show Off" the Baby.

One of the most important rules is that which demands perfect quiet for baby during the first months of its existence.

Babies are fussed over, talked to, and handled into a state which is sure to leave the nerves of the child in a thoroughly wrought-up condition.

The less notice outside its physical needs given the tiny one during the first year of its sojourn here below the better

Allow the little frame to become accustomed to the strain upon it so necessary when making the acquaintance of this restless, rioting world of ours.

It is wise to continue this wholesome neglect through childhood, though very many mothers imagine a child is rendered shy if it is not pushed ahead a little each day while it is in the nursery

Baby is compelled to make friends with every stranger who appears.

It is kissed when it wants to be let alone.

If it has a cunning trick it is coaxed and teased into exhibiting it.

As baby grows older the same methods are pursued; the poor child is marshaled into the dining room to be put through its paces; play is interrupted, and the little one fretted into a state of nervousness that brings too often a punishment that is undeserved.

When your smiling friend, asks in dulcet tones to "see the baby," do not hesitate to say "No," especially if she is merely a chance caller, one of many who think it necessary to make the request out of politeness There is always some good excuse for refusing to put the baby through a succession of "shows," and unless she is a special friend the chances are that your visitor will simply look upon the refusal as sparing her an infliction, and the baby will be all the better for his comparative seclusion

Banana Croquettes.

Six bananas, half a cup of powdered sugar, juice of two oranges, one egg, two cups of shredded wheat biscuit crumbs Cut bananas into halves crosswise, sprinkle with powdered sugar and turn over them the orange juice. Let stand in cool place for an hour, turning occasionally until all are flavored with the orange. Roll in egg, then in the crumbs, and fry in hot fat Serve with orange sauce. Strain the sirup left after the bananas have been removed, but in saucepan; when it has reached the boiling point add two tablespoonfuls of corn starch, wet with a little cold water. Cook until thick and clear, then add half a teaspoonful of orange extract.

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Season's Dress Goods in Black.

Black dress goods suitable for any and all occasions are whipcord, serge, Eudora, or a granite-like weave; none of these are recommended for coolness, as the coolest black gown for best wear, outside of semi-transparent goods, is a foulard. Where one dress has to answer for many occasions, black is the best choice, and a silk-warp fabric will present the more dressy appearance if made with a white yoke covered with cream-colored guipure.—November Ladies' Home Journal.

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...ives daily		2:27 a m
...ves "		2:32 a m
" "	except Sunday	5:45 a m
...ives "	" "	9:40 a m
...ves "	" "	9:45 a m
...ives "		12:20 p m
...ves "		12:25 p m
...ives "		4:00 p m
...ves "		4:05 p m
...ives "		9:50 p m
...nday only, leaves		7:40 a m

NORTH.

...ives daily, except Sunday		8:20 a m
...ves " " "		8:25 a m
...ves "		5:55 a m
...ives "		11:40 p m
...ves "		11:55 p m
...ives "	except Sunday	4:20 p m
...ves "	" "	[illegible]
...ives "		8:00 p m
...ives "		1:35 a m
...ves "		1:30 a m
...nday only, arrives		7:40 a m
" " leaves		7:45 a m
" " arrives		10:30 p m

P., Ft. W. & C. R. R.

...Time Card, taking Effect June 26, 1898.

EAST FROM LIMA.

...ily	7:35 a m
...ily	9:20 a m
...ily except Sunday	11:35 a m
...ily except Sunday	3:15 p m
...ily	9:20 p m
...ily	10:40 p m

WEST FROM LIMA

...ily	3:00 a m
...ily	3:20 a m
...ily except Sunday	9:50 a m
...ily	2:55 p m
...ily except Sunday	6:10 p m

D. & L. N. R. R.

(In effect Aug. 18, 1898.)

GOING NORTH.

...	8:27 a m
...ibuled express, daily ex. Sun.	11 30 a m
...s daily, Napoleon and Colum...	
...us accommodation	6:30 p m

GOING SOUTH.

...s daily ex. Sunday, Napoleon	
...nd Columbus accommodation	7:00 a m
...y ex. Sunday	1:22 p m
...ns, daily ex. Sunday	7:23 p m
...day only	12:30 a m

ERIE R. R.

In effect June 26, 1898.

WEST. DEPART

...tibule limited, daily for Chi... ...go and the West	11:23 a m
...fic express, daily for Chica... ...and the West	1:12 a m
...press, daily except Sunday, ...Chicago and the West	9:10 a m
...al freight, daily ex. Sunday	7:00 a m
...lts-Fargo fin'd express, daily ...cept Monday	4:00 p m

EAST.

...tibule limited, daily for New ...rk and Boston	9:08 p m
...press, daily except Sunday	8:34 p m
...press, daily for New York	8:41 a m
...al freight, daily ex. Sunday	7:00 a m

OHIO SOUTHERN R. R.

In effect May 29, 1898.

TRAINS SOUTH.	TRAINS NORTH.
...leaves 5:45 a m	No. 2 arrives 11:05 a m
...leaves 3:30 p m	No. 4 arrives 9:20 p m

...ns Nos. 1 and 3, leaving Lima at 5:45 a. ...d 3:30 p. m., make direct connections ... points south and southeast. Baggage ...ed through from any residence in ... to any point on or reached via the ...Southern. For further information ad... ...ss, etc., call up city office, 75 Public ...e Telephone 60.

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WEST.

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...part	9:50 a m
...rives	2:25 a m
...part	2:45 a m
...rives	6:45 p m
...inster accommodat'n, leaves	4:30 p m

EAST.

...rives	7:20 a m
...rives	1:20 p m
...rives	1:40 p m
...rives	7:15 p m
...rives	7:20 p m
...inster accommoda'n, arrives	8:30 p m

WRECKED BY HAIR DYE.

Salvation Army Corps Broken Up by Vanity of a Member.

Even the enthusiastic women who devote their lives to Salvation Army work are not above the vanities characteristic of their sex as a whole—that is, if one may judge by the deplorable outcome of a scandal in corps No. 2, which for years conducted its peculiar work in Elsey chapel on Jewett avenue, Jersey City. Factional bitterness, caused by woman's gossip, has resulted in the disbandment of the corps. Al. Salvationists when they join the army, of course, are supposed to renounce the vanities of the world, and corps No. 2 was very strict in such matters. One of the sisters one day, however, observed that the child of another sister purchased a bottle of hair dye. The mother of the child had beautiful black hair, and the observing sister began to talk the result of her observation over with other sisters, until it came to be the quiet gossip of the corps. Finally the stories reached the ears of the sister with the black hair, and then there was a time. She went to the officer in charge of the corps and demanded that the originator of the hair-dye story be tried by court-martial. This was granted. There were interesting scenes at the trial, and the accused sister was acquitted. The accuser left the corps, taking many of her friends with her. The accused remained, but there were enough friends of her opponent left to make life unpleasant for her. Then she resigned from the corps, taking many of her friends. The corps after that could not pay expenses, members lost interest in their work, and finally disbandment put an end to the trouble.

GLORIES IN HIS WIFE'S LOSS.

Male Brute Extends Thanks to the Man Who Stole a Watch.

In a recent issue of a New York paper appears the following letter to the editor: "Sir—I take pleasure in reporting through your columns the fact that my wife yesterday lost the chatelaine watch that she has, or had, the bad habit of wearing dangling to a pendant on the bosom of her gown when she has occasion to deck herself to go downtown or elsewhere on the streets. I have long insisted that women who wore their watches in such a manner did but tempt thieves to steal, yet my words have no effect upon her, and day after day I have seen her go out only to see her come home again with the watch there and a smile of scorn on her face for me. Yesterday when she returned there was neither smile nor watch. I also desire to extend my sincere thanks to the gentlemanly and urbane pickpocket for pinching the bauble. He has taught her in one or two seconds what I have been years trying to teach her, and I am so grateful that I am almost tempted to offer him $5 as a token of my esteem. I gave the watch to my wife a dozen years ago and nobody knows how much I have regretted my thoughtless kindness. I shall make no effort to recover the trinket, and if any other men situated as I have been want to combine with me to organize a society for the prevention of women wearing their watches on the outside of their clothes in public places, I shall be glad to do all I can to get them together and solidify them as one man. With these few remarks I shall close by again extending to the pickpocket in question the continued assurances of my distinguished consideration.—P. X. K."

CLEVER MATCH MAKING.

Twin of the American Girls Got Eligible Husbands.

"An exceedingly clever bit of matchmaking has just been executed by an American lady whose eldest daughter left New York with some friends on a European tour, and who, after doing the continent, returned to our gay capital for several months of rest and pleasuring," writes a resident of Paris to the New York Commercial Advertiser. "Attractive and clever, she had many suitors. She adroitly reduced the number to two. Then she wrote home to her mother, explaining the exact situation of affairs, adding that they were both so handsome, agreeable, well-conducted and rich that she could not decide between them, and closed with the question: 'What shall I do?' Ten days later she received a telegram from her mother: 'I sail tomorrow; hold both until I come.' The next transatlantic steamer brought the mother with her second daughter, just turned 18. On her arrival she at once took the helm of affairs, and she attended the wedding of her two daughters at the American chapel on the same morning."

Lightest of Liquids.

Additional experiments by Professor Dewar have shown that liquid hydrogen is by far the lightest of all known liquids. Its density is one-fourteenth that of water, and, curiously enough, this happens to be the same ratio of density that hydrogen in the gaseous state bears to air. Heretofore the lightest liquid known has been liquefied marsh gas, which possesses about two-fifths the density of water.

Rising.

"How is your son Jack getting along, Mrs. Spriggins? Is he rising in the world?" "Rising? Why, he began last year as a chiropodist, and now he's a barber."—Harper's Bazar.

Of Two Evils.

Volunteer—At first we thought that nothing could be worse than the army ration. Friend—Well, what was worse? Volunteer—When we didn't get it.—Judge.

RUSSIA IN THE EAST.

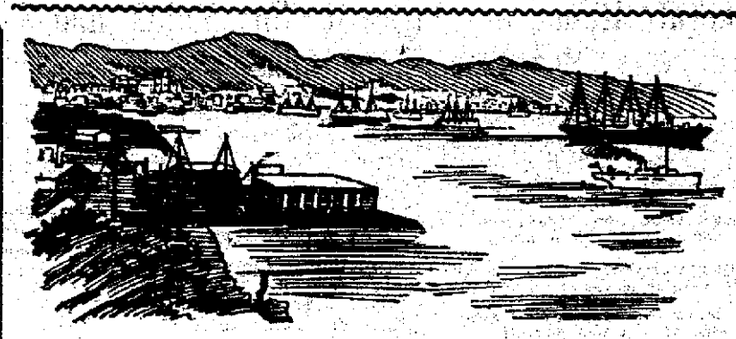
VLADIVOSTOCK MADE A GIBRALTER BY HER ENGINEERS

General Ignatieff Won His Spurs as Diplomatist by the Acquisition of the Territory Which Became the Czar's Pacific Stronghold.

(Special Letter.)

VLADIVOSTOCK—the "Dominion of the East"—which has been developed into a veritable Gibraltar by Russian engineers, is situated on the southernmost border of the Primorak provinces, which were stolen from the Manchuria kingdom by General Ignatieff in 1861. The story of the transfer of the region lying south of the Amur river and east of the Usuri, will bear telling, serving, as it does, as an admirable example of Russian methods. In the year 1860 China was invaded by the French and English best on teaching the "son of heaven" a salutary lesson the advisability of maintaining the rights granted by previous treaties. The western "barbarians" had forced their way to Pekin, which was for the first time entered by a foreign foe, and the mandarins were at their wit's end for a means of saving their face. It was while the negotiations for a new treaty were in progress that young Ignatieff—he was not 30 at the time—arrived and joined his influence to that of the armies, who were for the moment masters of the situation, for bringing about peace. Immediately the negotiations had proved successfull the young diplomatist interviewed the Chinese on his own behalf, and demanded, in the name of the Czar, the immediate cession of the Usuri province—a territory as large as Germany. China was taken aback, but quite helpless. Fearing further wars with the outer powers, she conceded what was demanded, and the seaboard of Manchuria was promptly occupied by Russia, the first place to be taken in hand being the fine natural harbor between the bays of Amur and Possiet, which became named Vladivostock, the frontier stronghold of the Russian Pacific station.

The harbor works were taken in hand by the ablest engineers, who were specifically conveyed from St. Petersburg for the purpose. Barracks were built, forts planned, dockyards constructed, and the surrounding heights provided with fortifications and heavy guns. In a very few years Vladivostock became a fortress of the first class, and with the additional defenses subsequently added it has for some years been regarded as practically impregnable.



VLADIVOSTOCK.

The town of Vladivostock lies on the north shore of a narrow bay extending some two miles inland, having an average width of about half a mile, on either side of the settlement, which is of goodly size and includes a population of 15,000 and a military force of about 3,000 men. Very large sums have been expended by the Russians on the defenses of the arsenal, which lies to the east of the town, and no less than six million roubles were spent on new fortifications and dockyard extensions five years ago. The protection provided against attack from the sea is now very complete, and includes eight forts of the first class placed on the numerous headlands guarding the approaches to the harbor, besides the blockhouses which surround the settlement. The barrack accommodation is very extensive, and it is believed that from 35,000 to 40,000 men could be concentrated on the spot with the greatest [illegible]

The safeguarding of Vladivostock has always been regarded as a matter of utmost importance to the Russian empire, and admission to the harbor is only permitted under a number of stringent regulations. One of these is interesting owing to the circumstances which brought it into force. Some ten years ago the Chinese squadron of the British fleet while on a cruise paid a visit to Vladivostock. The Russian fleet chanced to be at sea, and the British vessels arrived during the prevalence of a sea fog which rendered them invisible from the shore. When the fog lifted and the squadron was discovered riding at anchor off the town, there was nearly a panic, as the visit was unexpected, and the port authorities thought that war had broken out. They were soon reassured, however, though the incident was duly considered, and in the result a regulation was introduced forbidding more than two foreign men-of-war to enter the harbor at a time.

The great importance of Vladivostock as the chief naval base of the Russian seaboard in the far east came to an end early this year, when the representatives of the czar occupied the Liao Tong peninsula. From the day of its acquisition till the present, every nerve has been strained by those responsible in order to place this new harbor of refuge in a position to defend itself, and so large a supply of men and munitions of war have been dispatched there that the place is already practically as strong as its predecessor further north, and it will ere long be far and away the finest stronghold in the far east. Despite the rapid development of Port Arthur, however, Vladivostock remains a most valuable factor in the strength of Russia in the east. Its harbor, though not perhaps as well protected by nature as Port Arthur, is far larger, and is generally recognized as one of the finest in the world.

THE WOMEN OF HOMER.

Helen and Agamemnon's Wife the Only Wicked Ones.

The Homeric women generally are characterized by a gentle dignity and a refinement in which no modern civilization could show their superiors. They are essentially feminine, without being insipid or inane; their sphere is in the home; their occupation is in the ministries of wife and mother, of sister and daughter; and in everything that Homer shows us of their relations we recognize a natural warmth of domestic affection and a noble tone of manners. There are, indeed, two Homeric exceptions to such a standard; but in each case there are touches which render these exceptions fresh proofs of the rule. Nestor refers to the terrible crime of Agamemnon's wife; but in doing so he notes how she had yielded only to the persistence of the tempter Aegisthus: "Verily at the first the fair Clytaemnestra would have nothing to do with the foul deed; for she had a good understanding." And Helen at least feels a remorse which no reproaches could make sharper. The noble element in her character comes out in response to nobleness; it is when her brother-in-law, Hector, has been bravely striving to inspire Paris with something of his own generous patriotism that Helen's self-condemnation breaks forth in its bitterest utterance.

FOREIGN CORRESPONDENT.

Among all the foreign correspondents that journalism has developed in the recent past, none has made anything like such an impression in the governmental and diplomatic circles of Europe as has George Ernest Morrison, the man who sends dispatches to the London Times from Peking, says the New York Times. Hitherto he has preserved a more or less complete anonymity, sinking his own personality in that of his papers, but so important a part has the information furnished by him played in the recent shuffling of Chinese provinces, and, therefore, in the ambitions of the powers, that he has at last been drawn out into the light.

This now famous discoverer and revealer of national secrets was born in Australia thirty-six years ago. He studied medicine at Melbourne university, but abandoned his profession soon after receiving his degree, and started on a long trading journey among the South Sea Islands. In 1888 a spear wound, received while at the head of an exploring expedition in New Guinea, sent him to Edinburgh for treatment, and after further studies there he returned to medicine, practicing in Spain, Morocco, and Ballarat. These very frequent changes did not satisfy his wandering inclinations, so he again gave up his profession and devoted himself to travel and writing. After visiting Japan, Doctor Morrison, in 1894, determined to cross China at its greatest width, from Shanghai to the Burmese frontier. The story of this trip he has told in his book, An Australian in China. He covered 3,000 miles in all—one-half by boat, in a voyage up the Yangtse river, and the remainder on the overland highway into Burmah. Then he spoke no Chinese, but he has since accomplished the task of learning that dreadful tongue thoroughly, and he now has the confidence, or gets the information, of Chinese officials close to the Dragon Throne.

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HEALTH AND BEAUTY.

The great harm in sweets as sold is due entirely to unscrupulous makers who do not make them of pure ingredients. Sweets—if made by a good maker—such as butterscotch, sugar candy or chocolate are perfectly wholesome to eat in moderation.

Few women realize that the skin must be fed as well as the body, for if not it will become dry and wrinkled and look like old cracked leather. To omit washing the face at night is a great mistake, on retiring this is really of more importance than it is in the morning It should be bathed in warm water and dried gently, but thoroughly Then take some good emollient, such as cold cream, and rub in faithfully with the fingers until all of it is quite absorbed. The hands, neck and arms should be treated in the same manner. If these directions are carefully followed the skin will retain its youthful softness and the face its plumpness or contour long after middle age is past.

Want of sleep is most often caused by overactivity of the brain at night. It is utterly fatal to a thorough rest to work the brain until just before going to bed. You have dinner, say, at 7 and sit up until, perhaps, 12 or 1, thinking to tire yourself out and so be able to sleep, but by this time the food last partaken of has all been digested and you go to bed hungry and with the brain in a state of activity. Now, if work is left off about an hour before retiring and a glass of hot milk and a biscuit or two indulged in, insomnia will be banished in many cases. It would divert the blood from the brain and take away the cerebral excitement that prevents sleep. Everything that increases the amount of blood ordinarily circulating through the brain has a tendency to cause wakefulness. If the brain be often kept for long periods on the stretch during which the vessels are filled to repletion they cannot contract even when the exciting causes cease. Wakefulness, as a consequence, results and the condition of the individual becomes worse every day, time bringing the force of habit into operation. Everything that tends to throw the blood to the brain should be avoided. This is a vital matter and prevention is better than cure.

RECENT INVENTIONS.

A colorless ink for use in writing on postal cards, etc., is made by mixing together sulphuric acid and water, the writing becoming permanently visible when the paper is heated.

To secure corks in bottles without the use of wire bales a short nail is inserted in a hole formed in the neck of the bottle at the time it is cast, entering the side of the cork and holding it fast until withdrawn by a hook.

A Californian has patented an attachment for shears used in cutting flowers, consisting of a pair of metal plates to be clamped on the blades to shut and grip the stem as it is cut off, holding it until released by opening the blades.

To retain shirt bosoms in place a southerner has invented a device composed of two strips of flexible webbing crossing at the back, with channels at the end which clasp the edges of the bosom and draw it against the body to prevent it from bulging out.

In a recently patented bicycle saddle the frame is pivoted at the end of the post to tilt forward and backward, an adjustable coiled spring being attached to the point of the saddle to allow it to swing back until the tension of the spring balances the weight of the rider.

To prevent animals from swallowing their food in a hurry an improved manger has a spring partition suspended from the top, which permits only a small portion of the food to fall at a time, pressure on the partition to get larger mouthfuls shutting off the supply entirely.

BRITISH JOKES.

He—I am crazy over music—a real musical crank. She—Ah! a Handel.—Judy.

Gentleman—How long will the next train be? Irish Porter—Tin cars and an ingin, sorr.—Fun.

"Oh, yes, my husband's a good enough sort of man in his way." "Don't you mean in your way."—Pick-Me-Up.

She—Do you mean to tell me that I am the ony woman you ever loved? He—Yes. All the rest were girls.—Judy.

"We have a hen that laid two eggs in one day." "Oh, that's nothing. My father laid a foundation stone."—World's Comic.

Mike—The top av the mornin' to yes, Pat. Pat (muddled)—Shurs, Ol've got it, me bhoy; me head's going round somethin' awful!—Fun.

"By jove, I'm awfully glad to see you here, Miss Brown! When I first came in I felt quite nervous—everybody looked so awfully clever."—Punch.

WHY?

Why is it that a free lunch is never free?

Why does a dark lantern give such a bright light?

Why isn't asking a man's name a question of identity?

Why isn't the bride well dressed who is well groomed?

Why shouldn't a man be excused for being bigoted against bigotry?

GIANT BEES IN PHILIPPINES.

Honeymakers Which It Is Proposed to Introduce.

There's one race inhabiting the Philippines which will be a welcome addition to American citizenship and will receive every facility and inducement to emigrate to the United States and engage in skilled labor in which it has no peer. This is the giant East Indian honey bee, whose immense capacity for making honey and wax has interested the department of agriculture in the consideration of any early effort to introduce it into the United States. To science this bee is known as apias dorsata. It is common throughout the tropical regions of the east, and in the Philippine islands the very largest variety of the species is found. It is nearly one-half larger than the American native honey bee and builds a comb, heavily with wax and honey, five or six times as large as those found in American orchards and forests. The question of acclimatizing these inhabitants of the Philippines in the colder latitudes of America is not discouraging. The giant bees are found in the mountain regions, all through India and have been seen busily at work at altitudes of 5,000 feet. In the Philippine islands, their colonies are most numerous in the mountains, as the unceasing quest of the natives for their honeycomb has driven them from the unprotected flatlands of the heavily wooded mountain regions. The Filipinos find their daily bread a rather easy proposition, but they are very fond of honey on the staff of life. There is also a large demand for wax for use in dyeing. The big bees build their hives on tall forest trees or on overhanging ledges of cliffs. When undisturbed branch swarms build near the parent colony, so that in a few years an immense bee settlement often grows up in the forest. The bees build a comb five or six feet long, four feet wide and from seven-eighths to one and one-half inches in thickness. The largest combs of American honey bees are not more than one-fifth of these dimensions. In appearance the giant bee is a smoky, glittering, iridescent black wasp-like figure, with orange bands encircling its body. There have been reports that this bee is most ferocious and on account of its great size extremely dangerous, but Professor Frank Benton of the department of agriculture has seen and handled them in their jungle haunts, and he tells a different story. They are such busy and persevering workers, according to Professor Benton's account, that they have lost dexterity with their stinging apparatus, and though they may alight, full of wrath and with evil intent, upon human hand or neck, they do not handle their offensive weapon with skill, and it takes them twenty or thirty seconds to get their sting in working order. They are quiet as compared with American bees.

Petitions have been coming into the department of agriculture for years asking that the government introduce these giant bees into the United States. No attempt at bringing them here has ever been successful. Professor Benton tried to bring to the United States a swarm of these honeymakers which he captured in the jungle. While he was sick in bed, on his way home, no one else on the vessel would attend them and they all died.—New York Sun.

A MIRACLE OF LONGEVITY.

Such Is Roman Opinion Respecting the Life of the Pope.

The pope appears to have recovered from the serious disposition which gave rise to the recent alarming reports. His holiness has never had a strong constitution. About his twentieth year he believed that he was wasting with phthisis, and wrote an eloquent piece of Latin verse on his approaching end, "Why Flatter Thyself?" Ten years later, when he was apostolic delegate at Benevento, he came near dying of a pernicious fever. It was thought that he was lost. He was saved by the act, then thought foolhardy, of Dr. Volpis, physician to the king of Naples, in plunging him into a bath of cold water at the moment of the most violent attack of the fever. Leo XIII. has not gone out of the vast inclosure which surrounds the vatican in twenty years, and yet has surpassed the years of life of Pius IX., who alone of all the popes had exceeded the years of Peter. In the eyes of superstitious Romans Leo XIII. has performed another miracle of longevity. He has escaped a critical date, one determined by a cabalistic calculation, which set the end of his life for the year 1892. It is said all his predecessors in this century, Pius IX., Gregory XVI., Pius VIII, Leo XII., Pius VII, have obeyed the law of figures. Leo XIII. alone has escaped it, and the same calculation, if it were exact in his case, would assign him ten years more of existence, which would make the pontiff surpass even the age of Doge Dandolo

Bluebeard.

Fatima was much moved when she beheld all those beheaded women in the forbidden chamber. "Oh! the nerve of that man Bluebeard!" she exclaimed; "to tell me his former wives had died of ptomaines in ice cream!" Naturally, when her husband came home and saw the blood upon the key his feelings were better imagined than described.—Puck.

Hit It the First Time.

Mrs. Matchman—Look how earnestly Rose and Mr. Beach are bidding each other good night at the gate. I am sure there is something between them. Mr. Matchman—So am I: it's the gate.—Judge.

CHANGE IN STYLE OF FIGURES.

FOR WOMAN AND HOME.

General Items of Interest for Maids and Matrons.—The Home.

To Her.

Her mind's a garden, where do grow
Sweet thoughts like posies in a row;

Her soul is as some lucent star,
That shines upon us from afar;

Her heart's an ocean, wide and deep,
Where swirling waves of passion sweep

Aye, deeper than the deepest sea,
And wide as woman's mystery,

O, man, the mariner, beware—
Yet will I chance a shipwreck there.
—Robert Loveman in Cosmopolitan.

Hint from Paris.

The dress represented in the illustration is of red cloth and has three

imitation flounces, with indentations edged with velvet. The bodice is also adorned with overlapping "decoupures" of rounded shape, and the front, which opens over a basis of embroidered white velvet, is embroidered with silver and silver thread. The collar is of white velvet and the cravat of point de Venise This dress is by Beer.—New York Herald

Stuttering Is Contagious.

According to Dr. Gulzmann, whose report has been adopted and published by the German government, involuntary mimicry plays a great part in stuttering. Like yawning, it is catching The quicker a child is, and the more imitative, the more apt it is to imbibe any defects of speech on the part of those by whom it is surrounded. Conclusive evidence of the contagious nature of stuttering is to be found in the fact that the number of stutterers in a school increases steadily as the children pass upward from class to class. In the public schools of Berlin, for example, the number of stutterers among the children in the lower class was 52 per cent of the total strength of the class. This proportion rose from year to year as the children passed upward in the educational scale until in the higher class the percentage was discovered to be 1.61, or more than three times the number found when the same children were in the lowest class.

How to Prevent Coughing.

The following is from a doctor connected with an institution in which there are many children: "There is nothing more irritable to a cough than coughing. For some time I had been so fully assured of this that I determined for one minute at least to lessen the number of coughs heard in a certain ward in a hospital of the institution. By the promise of rewards and punishments I succeeded in inducing them to simply hold their breath when tempted to cough, and in a little while I was myself surprised to see how some of the children entirely recovered from the disease Constant coughing is precisely like scratching a wound on the outside of the body, so long as it is done the wound will not heal Let a person when tempted to cough draw a long breath and hold it until it warms and soothes every air cell, and some benefit will soon be received from this process. The nitrogen which is thus refined acts as an anodyne to the mucous membrane, allaying the desire to cough and giving the throat and lungs a chance to heal At the same time a suitable medicine will aid nature in her efforts to recuperate.

Little Girl's Frock.

A pretty autumn frock for a little girl is made of navy blue wool, dotted with red.

The sleeves, which are slightly wrin-

kled, have a ruffle over the shoulders. The collar, waistbands and sash are of red ribbon.—The Latest.

Poisonous Plants.

It is not generally understood that a large number of plants with which we are familiar contain poison more or less deadly, according to the quantity consumed A very small piece of the bulb of a narcissus may cause death The leaves, flowers, roots and bark of the oleander are deadly, indeed the entire plant is dangerous to life. The jonquil and hyacinth are poisonous Peach and cherry pits contain prussic acid enough to kill, and yew berries are responsible for serious loss of life Most people know that the lobelias are dangerous, but that the lady slipper poisons in the same way as ivy is known to but few The bulbs of lilies of the valley are poisonous. Crocuses must be handled with care by certain persons The catalpa has poisonous qualities, and to poppies, especially the partly ripened seed pods, are ascribed many deaths among children

Don't "Show Off" the Baby.

One of the most important rules is that which demands perfect quiet for baby during the first months of its existence.

Babies are fussed over, talked to, and handled into a state which is sure to leave the nerves of the child in a thoroughly wrought-up condition.

The less notice outside its physical needs given the tiny one during the first year of its sojourn here below the better.

Allow the little frame to become accustomed to the strain upon it so necessary when making the acquaintance of this restless, rioting world of ours.

It is wise to continue this wholesome neglect through childhood, though very many mothers imagine a child is rendered shy if it is not pushed ahead a little each day while it is in the nursery.

Baby is compelled to make friends with every stranger who appears.

It is kissed when it wants to be let alone.

If it has a cunning trick it is coaxed and teased into exhibiting it.

As baby grows older the same methods are pursued, the poor child is marshaled into the dining room to be put through its paces; play is interrupted, and the little one fretted into a state of nervousness that brings too often a punishment that is undeserved.

When your smiling friend, asks in dulcet tones to "see the baby," do not hesitate to say "No," especially if she is merely a chance caller, one of many who think it necessary to make the request out of politeness. There is always some good excuse for refusing to put the baby through a succession of "shows," and unless she is a special friend the chances are that your visitor will simply look upon the refusal as sparing her an infliction, and the baby will be all the better for his comparative seclusion.

Banana Croquettes.

Six bananas, half a cup of powdered sugar, juice of two oranges, one egg, two cups of shredded wheat biscuit crumbs Cut bananas into halves crosswise, sprinkle with powdered sugar and turn over them the orange juice. Let stand in cool place for an hour, turning occasionally until all are flavored with the orange. Roll in egg, then in the crumbs, and fry in hot fat Serve with orange sauce. Strain the sirup left after the bananas have been removed, but in saucepan; when it has reached the boiling point add two tablespoonfuls of corn starch, wet with a little cold water Cook until thick and clear, then add half a teaspoonful of orange extract.

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7	leaves "	2.32 a m
21	" " except Sunday	5.45 a m
1	arrives " " "	9.40 a m
1	leaves " " "	9.45 a m
5	arrives "	12:30 p m
5	leaves "	12.35 p m
3	arrives "	4.00 p m
3	leaves "	4.05 p m
13	arrives "	9.50 p m
61	Sunday only, leaves	7:40 a m
	NORTH.	
8	arrives daily, except Sunday	8:30 a m
8	leaves " " "	8.35 a m
34	leaves "	5.55 a m
6	arrives "	11.40 p m
6	leaves "	11.55 p m
4	arrives " except Sunday	4.30 p m
4	leaves " " "	4.35 p m
20	arrives " " "	8:00 p m
12	arrives "	1:25 a m
12	leaves "	1:35 a m
60	Sunday only, arrives	7:00 a m
60	" " leaves	7:05 a m
62	" " arrives	10:30 p m

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6.	Daily	8:30 a m
88.	Daily except Sunday	11:25 a m
20.	Daily except Sunday	3:15 p m
8.	Daily	9:20 p m
2.	Daily	10:50 p m
	WEST FROM LIMA	
13.	Daily	2:05 a m
5.	Daily	3.33 a m
69.	Daily except Sunday	9:50 a m
9.	Daily	3.50 p m
65.	Daily except Sunday	6:10 p m

D. & L. N. R. R.

(In effect Aug 18, 1898.)

No.	GOING NORTH.	
2	Daily	6:20 a m
6	Vestibuled express daily ex Sun.	11 30 a m
8	leaves daily, Napoleon and Columbus accommodation	6:30 p m
	GOING SOUTH.	
9	leaves daily ex Sunday, Napoleon and Columbus accommodation	7 00 a m
1	Daily ex. Sunday	1 22 p m
3	Express, daily ex. Sunday	7.28 p m
7	Sunday only	12 20 a m

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No.	WEST.	DEPART
6	Vestibule limited, daily for Chicago and the West	11:23 a m
8	Pacific express, daily for Chicago and the West	1:17 a m
1	Express, daily except Sunday, for Chicago and the West	9:10 a m
61	Local freight, daily ex. Sunday	7:00 a m
13	Wells-Fargo lim'd express, daily except Monday	4:00 p m
	EAST.	
5	Vestibule limited, daily for New York and Boston	9:00 p m
3	Express, daily except Sunday	3:34 p m
11	Express, daily for New York	3:41 a m
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1	arrives	9:40 a m
1	depart	9:45 a m
5	arrives	3:05 a m
5	depart	3:05 a m
3	arrives	4:05 p m
139	Minster accommodat'n, leaves	4:00 p m
	EAST.	
4	leaves	7:20 a m
4	arrives	1:35 p m
6	leaves	1:05 p m
2	arrives	7:15 p m
2	leaves	7:20 p m
138	Minster accommoda'n, arrives	8:30 p m

WRECKED BY HAIR DYE.

Salvation Army Corps Broken Up by Vanity of a Member.

Even the enthusiastic women who devote their lives to Salvation Army work are not above the vanities characteristic of their sex as a whole—that is, if one may judge by the deplorable outcome of a scandal in corps No. 2, which for years conducted its peculiar work in Elsey chapel on Jewett avenue, Jersey City. Factional bitterness, caused by woman's gossip, has resulted in the disbandment of the corps. All Salvationists when they join the army are supposed to renounce the vanities of the world, and corps No. 2 was very strict in such matters. One of the sisters one day, however, observed that the child of another sister purchased a bottle of hair dye. The mother of the child had beautiful black hair, and the observing sister began to talk the result of her observation over with other sisters, until it came to be the quiet gossip of the corps. Finally the stories reached the ears of the sister with the black hair, and then there was a time. She went to the officer in charge of the corps and demanded that the originator of the hair-dye story be tried by court-martial. This was granted. There were interesting scenes at the trial, and the accused sister was acquitted. The accuser left the corps, taking many of her friends with her. The accused remained, but there were enough friends of her opponent left to make life unpleasant for her. Then she resigned from the corps, taking many of her friends. The corps after that could not pay expenses, members lost interest in their work, and finally disbandment put an end to the trouble.

GLORIES IN HIS WIFE'S LOSS.

Male Brute Extends Thanks to the Man Who Stole a Watch.

In a recent issue of a New York paper appears the following letter to the editor: "Sir—I take pleasure in reporting through your columns the fact that my wife yesterday lost the chatelaine watch that she has, or had, the bad habit of wearing dangling to a pendant on the bosom of her gown when she has occasion to deck herself to go downtown or elsewhere on the streets. I have long insisted that women who wore their watches in such a manner did but tempt thieves to steal, yet my words have no effect upon her, and day after day I have seen her go out only to see her come home again with the watch there and a smile of scorn on her face for me. Yesterday when she returned there was neither smile nor watch. I also desire to extend my sincere thanks to the gentlemanly and urbane pickpocket for pinching the bauble. He has taught her in one or two seconds what I have been years trying to teach her, and I am so grateful that I am almost tempted to offer him $5 as a token of my esteem. I gave the watch to my wife a dozen years ago and nobody knows how much I have regretted my thoughtless kindness. I shall make no effort to recover the trinket, and if any other men situated as I have been want to combine with me to organize a society for the prevention of women wearing their watches on the outside of their clothes in public places, I shall be glad to do all I can to get them together and solidify them as one man. With these few remarks I shall close by again extending to the pickpocket in question the continued assurances of my distinguished consideration.—P. X. K.'

CLEVER MATCH MAKING.

Both of the American Girls Got Eligible Husbands.

"An exceedingly clever bit of matchmaking has just been executed by an American lady whose eldest daughter left New York with some friends on a European tour, and who, after doing the continent, returned to our gay capital for several months of rest and pleasuring," writes a resident of Paris to the New York Commercial Advertiser. "Attractive and clever, she had many suitors. She adroitly reduced the number to two. Then she wrote home to her mother, explaining the exact situation of affairs, adding that they were both so handsome, agreeable, well-conducted and rich that she could not decide between them, and closed with the question, 'What shall I do?' Ten days later she received a telegram from her mother: 'I sail tomorrow; hold both until I come.' The next transatlantic steamer brought the mother with her second daughter, just turned 18. On her arrival she at once took the helm of affairs, and she attended the wedding of her two daughters at the American chapel on the same morning."

Lightest of Liquids.

Additional experiments by Professor Dewar have shown that liquid hydrogen is by far the lightest of all known liquids. Its density is one-fourteenth that of water, and, curiously enough, this happens to be the same ratio of density that hydrogen in the gaseous state bears to air. Heretofore the lightest liquid known has been liquefied marsh gas, which possesses about two-fifths the density of water.

Rising.

"How is your son Jack getting along, Mrs Spriggins? Is he rising in the world?" "Rising? Why, he began last year as a chiropodist, and now he's a barber."—Harper's Bazar.

Of Two Evils.

Volunteer—At first we thought that nothing could be worse than the army ration. Friend—Well, what was worse? Volunteer—When we didn't get it.—Judge.

RUSSIA IN THE EAST.

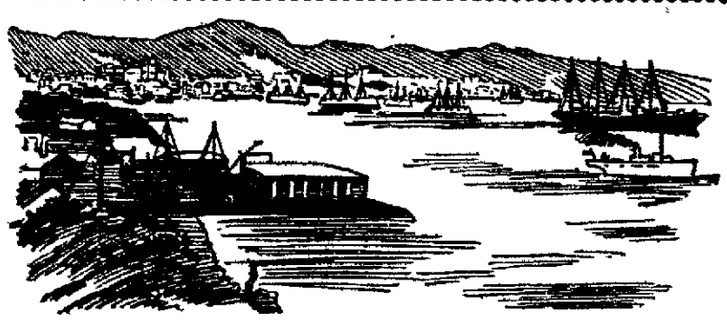
VLADIVOSTOCK MADE A GIBRALTER BY HER ENGINEERS

General Ignatieff Won His Spurs as Diplomatist by the Acquisition of the Territory Which Became the Czar's Pacific Stronghold.

(Special Letter.)

VLADIVOSTOCK—the "Dominion of the East"—which has been developed into a veritable Gibraltar by Russian engineers, is situated on the southernmost border of the Primorak provinces, which were stolen from the Manchuria kingdom by General Ignatieff in 1861. The story of the transfer of the region lying south of the Amur river and east of the Usuri, will bear telling, serving, as it does, as an admirable example of Russian methods. In the year 1860 China was invaded by the French and English bent on teaching the "son of heaven" a salutary lesson the advisability of maintaining the rights granted by previous treaties. The western "barbarians" had forced their way to Pekin, which was for the first time entered by a foreign foe, and the mandarins were at their wit's end for a means of saving their face. It was while the negotiations for a new treaty were in progress that young Ignatieff—he was not 30 at the time—arrived and joined his influence to that of the armies, who were for the moment masters of the situation, for bringing about peace. Immediately the negotiations had proved successfull the young diplomatist interviewed the Chinese on his own behalf, and demanded, in the name of the Czar, the immediate cession of the Usuri province—a territory as large as Germany. China was taken aback, but quite helpless. Fearing further wars with the outer powers, she conceded what was demanded, and the seaboard of Manchuria was promptly occupied by Russia, the first place to be taken in hand being the fine natural harbor between the bays of Amur and Possiet, which became named Vladivostock, the frontier stronghold of the Russian Pacific station.

The harbor works were taken in hand by the ablest engineers, who were specifically conveyed from St. Petersburg for the purpose. Barracks were built, forts planned, dockyards



VLADIVOSTOCK.

constructed, and the surrounding heights provided with fortifications and heavy guns. In a very few years Vladivostock became a fortress of the first class, and with the additional defenses subsequently added it has for some years been regarded as practically impregnable

The town of Vladivostock lies on the north shore of a narrow bay extending some two miles inland, having an average width of about half a mile, on either side of the settlement, which is of goodly size and includes a population of 15,000 and a military force of about 3,000 men. Very large sums have been expended by the Russians on the defenses of the arsenal, which lies to the east of the town, and no less than six million roubles were spent on new fortifications and dockyard extensions five years ago. The protection provided against attack from the sea is now very complete, and includes eight forts of the first class placed on the numerous headlands guarding the approaches to the harbor, besides the blockhouses which surround the settlement. The barrack accommodation is very extensive, and it is believed that from 35,000 to 40,000 men could be concentrated on the spot with the greatest ease.

The safeguarding of Vladivostock has always been regarded as a matter of utmost importance to the Russian empire, and admission to the harbor is only permitted under a number of stringent regulations. One of these is interesting owing to the circumstances which brought it into force. Some ten years ago the Chinese squadron of the British fleet while on a cruise paid a visit to Vladivostock. The Russian fleet chanced to be at sea, and the British vessels arrived during the prevalence of a sea fog which rendered them invisible from the shore. When the fog lifted and the squadron was discovered riding at anchor off the town, there was nearly a panic, as the visit was unexpected, and the port authorities thought that war had broken out. They were soon reassured, however, though the incident was duly considered, and in the result a regulation was introduced forbidding more than two foreign men-of-war to enter the harbor at a time.

The great importance of Vladivostock as the chief naval base of the Russian seaboard in the far east came to an end early this year, when the representatives of the czar occupied the Liao Tong peninsula. From the day of its acquisition till the present, every nerve has been strained by those responsible in order to place this new harbor of refuge in a position to defend itself, and so large a supply of men and munitions of war have been dispatched there that the place is already practically as strong as its predecessor further north, and it will ere long be far and away the finest stronghold in the far east. Despite the rapid development of Port Arthur, however, Vladivostock remains a most valuable factor in the strength of Russia in the east. Its harbor, though not perhaps as well protected by nature as Port Arthur, is far larger, and is generally recognized as one of the finest in the world.

THE WOMEN OF HOMER.

Helen and Agamemnon's Wife the Only Wicked Ones.

The Homeric women generally are characterized by a gentle dignity and a refinement in which no modern civilization could show their superiors. They are essentially feminine, without being insipid or inane; their sphere is in the home; their occupation is in the ministries of wife and mother, of sister and daughter; and in everything that Homer shows us of their relations we recognize a natural warmth of domestic affection and a noble tone of manners. There are, indeed, two Homeric exceptions to such a standard; but in each case there are touches which render these exceptions fresh proofs of the rule. Nestor refers to the terrible crime of Agamemnon's wife; but in doing so he notes how she had yielded only to the persistence of the tempter Aegisthus: "Verily at the first the fair Clytaemnestra would have nothing to do with the foul deed; for she had a good understanding." And Helen at least feels a remorse which no reproaches could make sharper. The noble element in her character comes out in response to nobleness; it is when her brother-in-law, Hector, has been bravely striving to inspire Paris with something of his own generous patriotism that Helen's self-condemnation breaks forth in its bitterest utterance.

FOREIGN CORRESPONDENT.

Among all the foreign correspondents that journalism has developed in the recent past, none has made anything like such an impression in the governmental and diplomatic circles of Europe as has George Ernest Morrison, the man who sends dispatches to the London Times from Peking, says the New York Times. Hitherto he has preserved a more or less complete anonymity, sinking his own personality in that of his papers, but so important a part has the information furnished by him played in the recent shuffling of Chinese provinces, and, therefore, in the ambitions of the powers, that he has at last been drawn out into the light.

This now famous discoverer and revealer of national secrets was born in Australia thirty- six years ago. He studied medicine at Melbourne university, but abandoned his profession soon after receiving his degree, and started on a long trading journey among the South Sea Islands. In 1888 a spear wound, received while at the head of an exploring expedition in New Guinea, sent him to Edinburgh for treatment, and after further studies there he returned to medicine, practicing in Spain, Morocco, and Ballarat. These very frequent changes did not

GEORGE E MORRISON.

satisfy his wandering inclinations, so he again gave up his profession and devoted himself to travel and writing. After visiting Japan, Doctor Morrison, in 1894, determined to cross China at its greatest width, from Shanghai to the Burmese frontier. The story of this trip he has told in his book, An Australian in China. He covered 3,000 miles in all—one-half by boat, in a voyage up the Yangtse river, and the remainder on the overland highway into Burmah. Then he spoke no Chinese, but he has since accomplished the task of learning that dreadful tongue thoroughly, and he now has the confidence, or gets the information, of Chinese officials close to the Dragon Throne.

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REDUCED FARES

To Various Points via Pennsylvania Lines.

Excursion tickets will be sold via Pennsylvania Lines as indicated in the following paragraphs. Although concessions in fare are authorized for meetings of certain Orders, tickets may be obtained by any person whether a member of the Order or interested in the event. The reduced rates will be open to everybody.

To SARATOGA, N Y—August 1st and 2d, account Young People's Christian Union, U P Church. Return limit August 10th, with privilege to extend until August 31st.

To PITTSBURG, PA—October 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th and 13th, good returning until October 17th, account Knights Templar Triennial Conclave. Return limit may be extended until October 31st

During the excursion season special rates will also be in effect via Pennsylvania Lines for special and local events. For particular information please apply to nearest Ticket Agent of the Pennsylvania Lines or address C. L. KIMBALL, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Cleveland, Ohio.

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DEVOTIONAL

In Splendor Was Thanksgiving Day Observed in Lima Yesterday.

Special Services at the Various Churches, and Something About This Imperishable Holiday.

As the weatherman foreccsted the dawn of Thanksgiving yesterday was greeted by a cold brisk air which imported exhilaration and joy.

The day whose memory has been cherished by the Americans with a devotion of patriotism, was observed with the same beautiful dinner and Thanksgiving which marked the beginning of this imperishable holiday more than two hundred years ago, when the handful of colonists from Massachusetts had expanded their last round of ammunition in the vain attempt to feed the starving women and children of Plymouth.

The morning following the night of tremulous fear of a momentary attack of the savages on the unarmed settlers, when the appearance of the rising sun, peeping up over the horizon of the Atlantic, showed the long looked-for supply vessel. In these past two centuries the last Thursday in November has been observed out of custom until now it is a national holiday.

The hunting of former years and the services of thanksgiving to God are still continued, and yesterday, services were held in all the churches of the land. Yet there still remains a portion of this thankful (?) nation which does not spend the day in devotional humiliation to God, but eulogizes the hero of the gridiron. At night this sacred day of day of feasting is turned into joyous festivities and gallant beaux with fair maidens go tripping over the ball room with a fantastic swiftness that carries the spectator into a delirium of pleasant memories.

Lima did not fall short this year in the observances of the commemoration of such a joyful and holy day.

The churches conducted services; the edifices rang with the anthems of Thanksgiving and the minister pointed out in eloquent brilliancy that for which all should give thanks. He enumerated, besides the American success at arms and the glorious return of a victorious peace, the individual causes for thank offering.

The athletic inclined individual was given an opportunity to feast his eyes and sense of sport at the foot ball game which was played at the Faurot park between the Y. M. C. A's and the Springfield C. A.

The demands for the national bird and dish, the turkey, was much larger than had been expected, and fear is expressed there have been no birds left for Christmas.

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CITY NEWS.

Rni Barton, of St. Marys, is here.

Harold Standish was in Delphos yesterday.

Oscar Young is home from Union City, Ind.

Miss Maud Elliott spent yesterday in Sidney.

Mrs. Mary Klatte is home from Cincinnati.

Miss Louise Shuler, of Lima, spent the day in Delphos.

Mr. W. P. Orr and wife, of Piqua, are visiting in Lima.

Defiance will enforce a curfew ordinance. So will Lima.

J. J. Collins and wife, of Wapak, were in Lima yesterday.

Miss Bonnie Bourquin is entertaining Miss Day, of Toledo.

Miss Fawn Bower has as her guest Miss Dowell, of Springfield.

Miss Jennie Arthur, of Delphos, is visiting her parents in Lima.

C. W. Heister is in Massillon on pleasure bent for a few days.

Ed Weadock, of Ann Arbor, came home to spend Thanksgiving.

Miss Hannah White was the guest of Van Wert friends yesterday.

The Misses Hathaway and Light are spending their vacation in Ottawa.

Mrs. Chas. Ackerman spent Thanksgiving in Wapak, with her parents.

Mrs. B. A. Roloson, of Lima, was a Thanksgiving visitor in Delphos.

Deputy Sheriff M. Summers, jr., is home from Lima.—Delphos Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thomson entertained Mrs. Geo. Burns, of St. Louis.

Sheriff Bogart and wife entertained friends from Columbus Grove yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Riley has as their guest Miss Emma Ford, of Ottawa.

Jeff Morris, of this city, and Dan Morris, of Toledo, were in Elida yesterday.

Harry Harper and wife, of Ottawa, were down yesterday to eat Lima turkey.

Charley Bressler came down from Huntington to eat turkey with his mother.

Mrs. J. L. Price, Mrs. C. F. Price and daughter Nellie spent yesterday in Kenton.

Mesdames John Stanley and J. H. Cline, of Delphos, spent the day at Lima.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Holgrove and daughter, of Delphos, are visiting in Lima.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hathaway are pleasantly located at 204 Washington street.

Mrs. Brown and daughter, of Wooster, is the guest of Mrs. Cunningham, of West Elm.

With good weather the South Main street paving will be completed within a few days.

A Toledo rabbit hunter dug in a pile of stone and found a box containing $2,000. Next.

B. G. Hover and wife, of Huntington, Ind., spent Thanksgiving with R. Gamble and family.

Patrick O'Malley, motorman for the Lima Railway company, is home from a visit in Pittsburg.

The mail boxes in this city are being pointed an aluminum color by the government painters.

Mrs. and Mrs. Will Neise, of North Jackson, enterthined friends from Springfield yesterday.

Carl Baumgardner and wife is enjoying a visit from his father, Rev. S. Baumgardner, of Toledo.

L. H. Cunningham, of Toledo, and Doan Cunningham, of Chicago, came down to spend Thanksgiving.

Mrs. M. A. Powell, of Columbus, is the guest of her brother, Mr. Huggett and family, of North Elizabeth.

Mrs. R. B. Krutsch, went to Lima to spend Thanksgiving with her sister, Mrs. Atkinson.—Delphos Herald.

Robbers make night raids at Lima. The police are unable to stop the work.—Van Wert Bolletin. No joke.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Watkins, of Vaughnsville, enjoyed yesterday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Wendall and daughter, of Blugton, Ind., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Colt, of West Market street.

A. F. Sheets and wife, of Columbus Grove, spent Thanksgiving with Councilman R. M. Robbins and wife, of 514 North Jefferson street.

After reading the various Thanksgiving proclamations the turkey was unable to get rid of that creeping sensation. But it is all over now.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Knisely and Mrs. Jas. Robinson and children, of Lima, were guests at the home of John Majors, at Delphos, Thanksgiving.

THE NEWS would suggest that the Gazette buy some new football pictures. The ones used in this morning's edition have been printed in that paper annually for the past ten years.

The Spencerville Farmers' Institute will be held at Spencerville, November 30th and December 1st. The program contains forty-three numbers and includes several well known speakers.

The total receipts for the fiscal year just closed, in the state treasury of Ohio, amounted to $8,487,826.93; disbursements, $7,658,852.98. This leaves a balance $828,973.95 in the treasury.

A. M. Metheany, of Galion, E. L. Metheany, of Cadilac, R. Metheany, of Grand Rapids, and families, who spent Thanksgiving with their mother, Mrs. E. A. Metheany, on East Market street, returned to their homes to-day.

Judge Richie and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Richie, Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Richie, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Harrod and Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Leland spent Thanksgiving with the mother of Judge and Walter B. Richie at Convoy.

Contributions from the school children of the country to the fund of erecting a monument to General LaFayette in Paris, will, it is thought, reach $100,000. Pennsylvania and Ohio have each contributed $20,000, and Illinois over $10,000.

Eddie Mayo, who left Lima with his parents recently, writes to a friend in Lima, that he is attending college in Philadelphia, where they have a large mandolin club, and out of fifteen guitar players, Eddie was selected to play the first or solo guitar. This speaks well for his former teacher, Prof. Frey, of our city.

An eastern telephone man predicts that before the close of the nineteenth century persons on the Pacific coast will be talking by telephone to persons on the Atlantic seaboard. The feat has already been accomplished between Kansas City and Boston. Thirty-three states are now connected by long distance telephone systems.

Disprtches from Macon are unfavorable to that city as a camping ground. The officers and men of the Second Ohio are staying in town owing to the muddy condition of the camp site. Col. Knert has protested against the new camp and its surroundings. The conditions are far from satisfactory and the men are already disgusted with Macon. Heavy rains add much to the discomfort of everybody.

The sale of seats for Dr. Stafford's lecture will begin at Melville's drug store to-morrow morning at seven o'clock. 4 2

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MANHATTAN

Said to Have Passed Into the Standard Oil Company's Hands.

Report Current Again in New York and There Seems to be Some Foundation—A Handsome Consideration Paid.

In connection with the strength of People's Gas securities, says yesterday's Chicago Tribune, New York now has an unconfirmed report that the Manhattan Oil property, the sale of which by Benedict to the People's Gaslight and Coke company, was recently announced in the Tribune, has been transferred for a handsome consideration to the Standard Oil company.

If such a deal has been made on favorable terms it may settle the vexatious question arising as to how the People's Gaslight and Coke company would finance its recent purchase.

It is possible that it may now be unnecessary to issue either additional stocks or bonds, but that instead the cash surplus of the company may be increased by some nice profits from the deal whereby the big oil property has been bought and then sold.

It is known that the People's Gas officials never liked the idea of their company entering the oil business. The Manhattan Oil property was purchased by them for about $3,000,000 as part of the general deal with Benedict, in settlement of the Indiana Natural Gas trouble, and also because it was thought if the source of the People's company oil supply was left in Benedict's control, Benedict might have a club to wield after present contracts have expired. If the property has now been sold to the Standard Oil company there are probably suitable guarantees as to the price at which oil will be sold to the People's Gas company for a time to come. As for the Standard Oil company, the deal, even though a high price may be paid, will probably be a good one, as control of the Manhattan Oil company will remove a competition which has long disputed its monopoly. It will be remembered that the Standard Oil company once secured a controlling interest in the People's Gas Company for the sole purpose of getting at the Manhattan Oil Company. The Standard oil people, to their intense disgust, then made the discovery that Benedict had already tied up the People's Gas Company to the Manhattan Oil Company by long term contracts.

The Manhattan Oil Company has a capital stock of $2,000,000, and $800,000 bonds. It is stated that the People's Gas Company consumes 750,000 gallons of oil a week in the manufacture of gas, or 39,000,000 gallons per year. At 2 cents per gallon the economies through the recent purchase (per year) were estimated at $780,000. If the Standard oil guarantees such extra profits to the People's Gaslight and Coke Company, the latter corporation has certainly done remarkably well.

Mr. Winston, of Winston & Meagher, attorneys for the People's Company, arrived from New York yesterday, but had no statement to give out.

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DEDICATION

Of the New United Brethren Church Will Occur Next Sunday.

The pretty new United Brethren church, which has just recently been completed at the corner of Spring and Union streets, will on next Sabbath be dedicated to the worship of God. Bishops Hott and Weaver will be present to officiate.

SERIOUSLY SICK.

Mrs. Emma Lynch, mother of City Clerk Lynch, is seriously sick, suffering from a complication of diseases. She has been confined to her bed at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A W. Kahle, on West Spring street, for the past two weeks.

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GOLF.

A Very Interesting Game Yesterday —Mr. Brice's Team Won.

A number of enthusiasts wended their way to the golf grounds on the Faurot place yesterday to witness the contest. Golf is very fascinating and has proven a popular amusement, especially in Canada, perhaps, for the reason it has probably been played longer in the Dominion than in any other part of the continent. It has until recently been in a primitive way and restricted to the Scotch element. Lima affords a good club, and we wish it success, so that in a short time perhaps a tournament may be booked for in our lively Lima town. Thanksgiving was the day set for the contest with H. L. Brice and A. J. Redway, captains, Brice's team winning. H. P. Williamson won the individual prize, making 18 holes in 123. A beautiful golf pin was the trophy.

H. L. Brice was second in the individual contest.

Rowland and Cremean will open up their elegant new Grocery and Meat Market to-morrow at 437 South Main. Round steak, 11c; sirloin steak, 12 1-2 and porter house, 12 1-2.

The sale of seats for Dr. Stafford's lecture will begin at Melville's drug store to-morrow morning at seven o'clock. 4 2

WARMER WEATHER.

Snow or Rain is Predicted for To-morrow—Vortkamp's Weather.

Watson's weather report says partly cloudy to-night, and Saturday rain or snow. Warmer weather is also predicted.

Late to bed and early to rise prepares a man for his home in the skies. But early to bed and a Little Early Riser, the pill that makes life longer and better and wiser. H. F. Vortkamp, northeast corner North and Main streets.

BOILER TESTED.

Engineer Boyer Doesn't Know What Caused the Explosion.

The Jones Station Wreck Remains a Mystery—Loss to the Railroad is $75,000.

In speaking of the explosion of the C., H. & D. engine near Hamilton, a dispatch says:

"Whether the wreck was caused by a defective boiler or the exhaustion of the water in the boiler is not known. Engineer Boyer will return to his home in Cincinnati to-morrow. In explanation of the explosion, he says that he took water for his engine in Cincinnati last night and tested his boilers as he was passing Jones' Station, about ten seconds before the explosion occurred, and found that he had plenty of water. He was running at the rate of thirty miles per hour, and has no idea what caused the accident.

Assistant Fireman Edward Martindale says that a moment before the explosion he called the attention of Fireman Ronaldson to the fact that there was no water in the gage, and that the fireman replied that the gage would not hold water. Ronaldson was 28 years old, lined at Indianapolis, was unmarried and had no relatives in this country. His remains will be shipped to Scotland, leaving Saturday. Engineer Charles Boyer, who was pinned under the cab of the engine for three hours, is still at the hospital here and is not seriously injured. Assistant Fireman Edward Martindale has sufficiently recovered to be discharged from the hospital, and returned to his home in Carthage to-day. The loss from the wreck is estimated at $75,000. The C., H. & D. officials visited the scene to-day, and will make a full investigation.

The engineer says: "The accident was caused by the giving out of the crown sheet from lack of water in the boiler."

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The reading of "Twelfth Night," by Mrs. J. K. Brice, will be given at the home of Mrs. James Langan, Saturday afternoon, December 3d, promptly at 2:15. 4 2

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HARRY HUTCHINS.

Wins in the Bowling Contest at The Metropolitan Cigar Store.

The contest for the solid gold watch given away at The Metropolitan Gentlemen's Parlor, to the person making the best score in ten games of ten pins, closed last night at ten o'clock and was won by Harry Hutchins, who had an average score for ten games of 208 8-10. Curtis Ash was next with a score of 200 9-10.

The contest has been on since November first.

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